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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to appropriations for health and human services
- 2 and veterans and including other related provisions and
- appropriations, and including effective date and retroactive
- 4 and other applicability date provisions.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1	DIVISION I
2	DEPARTMENT ON AGING - FY 2015-2016
3	Section 1. DEPARTMENT ON AGING. There is appropriated from
4	the general fund of the state to the department on aging for
5	the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30,
6	2016, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
7	to be used for the purposes designated:
8	For aging programs for the department on aging and area
9	agencies on aging to provide citizens of Iowa who are 60 years
10	of age and older with case management for frail elders, Iowa's
11	aging and disabilities resource center, and other services
12	which may include but are not limited to adult day services,
13	respite care, chore services, information and assistance,
14	and material aid, for information and options counseling for
15	persons with disabilities who are 18 years of age or older,
16	and for salaries, support, administration, maintenance, and
17	miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following
18	full-time equivalent positions:
19	\$ 11,436,066
20	FTEs 31.00
21	1. Funds appropriated in this section may be used to
22	supplement federal funds under federal regulations. To
23	receive funds appropriated in this section, a local area
24	agency on aging shall match the funds with moneys from other
25	sources according to rules adopted by the department. Funds
26	appropriated in this section may be used for elderly services
27	not specifically enumerated in this section only if approved
28	by an area agency on aging for provision of the service within
29	the area.
30	2. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$279,946 is
31	transferred to the economic development authority for the Iowa
32	commission on volunteer services to be used for the retired and
33	senior volunteer program.
34	3. a. The department on aging shall establish and enforce
35	procedures relating to expenditure of state and federal funds

- 1 by area agencies on aging that require compliance with both
- 2 state and federal laws, rules, and regulations, including but
- 3 not limited to all of the following:
- 4 (1) Requiring that expenditures are incurred only for goods
- 5 or services received or performed prior to the end of the
- 6 fiscal period designated for use of the funds.
- 7 (2) Prohibiting prepayment for goods or services not
- 8 received or performed prior to the end of the fiscal period
- 9 designated for use of the funds.
- 10 (3) Prohibiting the prepayment for goods or services
- 11 not defined specifically by good or service, time period, or
- 12 recipient.
- 13 (4) Prohibiting the establishment of accounts from which
- 14 future goods or services which are not defined specifically by
- 15 good or service, time period, or recipient, may be purchased.
- 16 b. The procedures shall provide that if any funds are
- 17 expended in a manner that is not in compliance with the
- 18 procedures and applicable federal and state laws, rules, and
- 19 regulations, and are subsequently subject to repayment, the
- 20 area agency on aging expending such funds in contravention of
- 21 such procedures, laws, rules and regulations, not the state,
- 22 shall be liable for such repayment.
- 23 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, at least
- 24 \$250,000 shall be used to fund the unmet needs identified
- 25 through Iowa's aging and disability resource center network.
- 26 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, at least
- 27 \$600,000 shall be used to fund home and community-based
- 28 services through the area agencies on aging that enable older
- 29 individuals to avoid more costly utilization of residential or
- 30 institutional services and remain in their own homes.
- 31 6. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$850,000
- 32 shall be used for the purposes of chapter 231E and section
- 33 231.56A, of which \$325,000 shall be used for the office of
- 34 substitute decision maker pursuant to chapter 231E, and the
- 35 remainder shall be distributed equally to the area agencies on

1 aging to administer the prevention of elder abuse, neglect, and 2 exploitation program pursuant to section 231.56A, in accordance 3 with the requirements of the federal Older Americans Act of 4 1965, 42 U.S.C. §3001 et seq., as amended. DIVISION II 5 6 OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN - FY 2015-2016 Sec. 2. OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state 9 to the office of long-term care ombudsman for the fiscal year 10 beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following 11 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the 12 purposes designated: For salaries, support, administration, maintenance, and 13 14 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following 15 full-time equivalent positions: 16 17 FTEs 21.00 2. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$450,000 shall 19 be used to provide additional local long-term care ombudsmen. 20 The office of long-term care ombudsman and the department 21 of human services shall collaborate to develop a Medicaid 22 state plan amendment to provide for the claiming of federal 23 financial participation for office of long-term care ombudsman 24 activities that are performed to assist with administration of 25 the Medicaid program. The Medicaid state plan amendment shall 26 be submitted to the centers for Medicare and Medicaid services 27 of the United States department of health and human services in 28 a timely manner to allow for such claiming of federal financial 29 participation beginning January 1, 2016. 30 DIVISION III 31 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH - FY 2015-2016 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated 32 33 from the general fund of the state to the department of public

34 health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending 35 June 30, 2016, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is

1 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

- 2 1. ADDICTIVE DISORDERS
- 3 For reducing the prevalence of the use of tobacco, alcohol,
- 4 and other drugs, and treating individuals affected by addictive
- 5 behaviors, including gambling, and for not more than the
- 6 following full-time equivalent positions:
- 7 \$ 27,263,690
- 8 FTES 10.00
- 9 a. (1) Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 10 \$5,248,361 shall be used for the tobacco use prevention
- 11 and control initiative, including efforts at the state and
- 12 local levels, as provided in chapter 142A. The commission
- 13 on tobacco use prevention and control established pursuant
- 14 to section 142A.3 shall advise the director of public health
- 15 in prioritizing funding needs and the allocation of moneys
- 16 appropriated for the programs and initiatives. Activities
- 17 of the programs and initiatives shall be in alignment with
- 18 the United States centers for disease control and prevention
- 19 best practices for comprehensive tobacco control programs that
- 20 include the goals of preventing youth initiation of tobacco
- 21 usage, reducing exposure to secondhand smoke, and promotion of
- 22 tobacco cessation.
- 23 (2) (a) Of the funds allocated in this paragraph "a",
- 24 \$453,067 is transferred to the alcoholic beverages division of
- 25 the department of commerce for enforcement of tobacco laws,
- 26 regulations, and ordinances and to engage in tobacco control
- 27 activities approved by the division of tobacco use prevention
- 28 and control of the department of public health as specified
- 29 in the memorandum of understanding entered into between the
- 30 divisions.
- 31 (b) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending
- 32 June 30, 2016, the terms of the memorandum of understanding,
- 33 entered into between the division of tobacco use prevention
- 34 and control of the department of public health and the
- 35 alcoholic beverages division of the department of commerce,

- 1 governing compliance checks conducted to ensure licensed retail
- 2 tobacco outlet conformity with tobacco laws, regulations, and
- 3 ordinances relating to persons under eighteen years of age,
- 4 shall continue to restrict the number of such checks to one
- 5 check per retail outlet, and one additional check for any
- 6 retail outlet found to be in violation during the first check.
- D. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 8 \$22,015,329 shall be used for problem gambling and
- 9 substance-related disorder prevention, treatment, and recovery
- 10 services, including a 24-hour helpline, public information
- 11 resources, professional training, and program evaluation.
- 12 (1) Of the funds allocated in this paragraph "b",
- 13 \$18,903,715 shall be used for substance-related disorder
- 14 prevention and treatment.
- 15 (a) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph (1),
- 16 \$899,300 shall be used for the public purpose of a grant
- 17 program to provide substance-related disorder prevention
- 18 programming for children.
- 19 (i) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph division
- 20 (a), \$427,539 shall be used for grant funding for organizations
- 21 that provide programming for children by utilizing mentors.
- 22 Programs approved for such grants shall be certified or must
- 23 be certified within six months of receiving the grant award
- 24 by the Iowa commission on volunteer services as utilizing the
- 25 standards for effective practice for mentoring programs.
- 26 (ii) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph division
- 27 (a), \$426,839 shall be used for grant funding for organizations
- 28 providing programming that includes youth development and
- 29 leadership services. The programs shall also be recognized as
- 30 being programs that are scientifically based with evidence of
- 31 their effectiveness in reducing substance-related disorders in
- 32 children.
- 33 (iii) The department of public health shall utilize a
- 34 request for proposals process to implement the grant program.
- 35 (iv) All grant recipients shall participate in a program

1 evaluation as a requirement for receiving grant funds.

- 2 (v) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph division
- 3 (a), up to \$44,922 may be used to administer substance-related
- 4 disorder prevention grants and for program evaluations.
- 5 (b) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph
- 6 (1), \$272,603 shall be used for culturally competent
- 7 substance-related disorder treatment pilot projects.
- 8 (i) The department shall utilize the amount allocated
- 9 in this subparagraph division (b) for at least three pilot
- 10 projects to provide culturally competent substance-related
- 11 disorder treatment in various areas of the state. Each pilot
- 12 project shall target a particular ethnic minority population.
- 13 The populations targeted shall include but are not limited to
- 14 African American, Asian, and Latino.
- 15 (ii) The pilot project requirements shall provide for
- 16 documentation or other means to ensure access to the cultural
- 17 competence approach used by a pilot project so that such
- 18 approach can be replicated and improved upon in successor
- 19 programs.
- 20 (2) Of the funds allocated in this paragraph "b", up
- 21 to \$3,111,614 may be used for problem gambling prevention,
- 22 treatment, and recovery services.
- 23 (a) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph (2),
- 24 \$2,573,762 shall be used for problem gambling prevention and
- 25 treatment.
- 26 (b) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph (2), up to
- 27 \$437,852 may be used for a 24-hour helpline, public information
- 28 resources, professional training, and program evaluation.
- 29 (c) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph (2), up
- 30 to \$100,000 may be used for the licensing of problem gambling
- 31 treatment programs.
- (3) It is the intent of the general assembly that from the
- 33 moneys allocated in this paragraph "b", persons with a dual
- 34 diagnosis of substance-related disorder and gambling addiction
- 35 shall be given priority in treatment services.

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- 1 c. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary,
- 2 to standardize the availability, delivery, cost of delivery,
- 3 and accountability of problem gambling and substance-related
- 4 disorder treatment services statewide, the department shall
- 5 continue implementation of a process to create a system
- 6 for delivery of treatment services in accordance with the
- 7 requirements specified in 2008 Iowa Acts, chapter 1187, section
- 8 3, subsection 4. To ensure the system provides a continuum
- 9 of treatment services that best meets the needs of Iowans,
- 10 the problem gambling and substance-related disorder treatment
- ll services in any area may be provided either by a single agency
- 12 or by separate agencies submitting a joint proposal.
- 13 (1) The system for delivery of substance-related disorder
- 14 and problem gambling treatment shall include problem gambling
- 15 prevention.
- 16 (2) The system for delivery of substance-related disorder
- 17 and problem gambling treatment shall include substance-related
- 18 disorder prevention by July 1, 2016.
- 19 (3) Of the funds allocated in paragraph "b", the department
- 20 may use up to \$100,000 for administrative costs to continue
- 21 developing and implementing the process in accordance with this
- 22 paragraph "c".
- 23 d. The requirement of section 123.53, subsection 5, is met
- 24 by the appropriations and allocations made in this division of
- 25 this Act for purposes of substance-related disorder treatment
- 26 and addictive disorders for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
- 27 2015.
- 28 e. The department of public health shall work with all
- 29 other departments that fund substance-related disorder
- 30 prevention and treatment services and all such departments
- 31 shall, to the extent necessary, collectively meet the state
- 32 maintenance of effort requirements for expenditures for
- 33 substance-related disorder services as required under the
- 34 federal substance-related disorder prevention and treatment
- 35 block grant.

1 2. HEALTHY CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

- 2 For promoting the optimum health status for children,
- 3 adolescents from birth through 21 years of age, and families,
- 4 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
- 5 positions:
- 6 \$ 7,331,602
- 7 FTES 13.00
- 3 a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, not more
- 9 than \$734,841 shall be used for the healthy opportunities for
- 10 parents to experience success (HOPES)-healthy families Iowa
- 11 (HFI) program established pursuant to section 135.106. The
- 12 funding shall be distributed to renew the grants that were
- 13 provided to the grantees that operated the program during the
- 14 fiscal year ending June 30, 2015.
- 15 b. In order to implement the legislative intent stated in
- 16 sections 135.106 and 256I.9, that priority for home visitation
- 17 program funding be given to programs using evidence-based or
- 18 promising models for home visitation, it is the intent of the
- 19 general assembly to phase in the funding priority in accordance
- 20 with 2012 Iowa Acts, chapter 1133, section 2, subsection 2,
- 21 paragraph 0b.
- 22 c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$4,912,887
- 23 shall be used to expand statewide the department's initiative
- 24 to provide for adequate developmental surveillance and
- 25 screening during a child's first five years. The funds shall
- 26 be used first to fully fund the current sites to ensure that
- 27 the sites are fully operational, with the remaining funds
- 28 to be used for expansion to additional sites. The full
- 29 implementation and expansion shall include enhancing the scope
- 30 of the program through collaboration with the child health
- 31 specialty clinics to promote healthy child development through
- 32 early identification and response to both biomedical and social
- 33 determinants of healthy development; by monitoring child
- 34 health metrics to inform practice, document long-term health
- 35 impacts and savings, and provide for continuous improvement

- 1 through training, education, and evaluation; and by providing
- 2 for practitioner consultation particularly for children with
- 3 behavioral conditions and needs. The department of public
- 4 health shall also collaborate with the Iowa Medicaid enterprise
- 5 and the child health specialty clinics to integrate the
- 6 activities of the first five initiative into the establishment
- 7 of patient-centered medical homes, community utilities,
- 8 accountable care organizations, and other integrated care
- 9 models developed to improve health quality and population
- 10 health while reducing health care costs. To the maximum extent
- 11 possible, funding allocated in this paragraph shall be utilized
- 12 as matching funds for medical assistance program reimbursement.
- d. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$74,640
- 14 shall be distributed to a statewide dental carrier to provide
- 15 funds to continue the donated dental services program patterned
- 16 after the projects developed by the lifeline network to provide
- 17 dental services to indigent individuals who are elderly or with
- 18 disabilities.
- 19 e. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$111,995
- 20 shall be used for childhood obesity prevention.
- 21 f. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$162,768
- 22 shall be used to provide audiological services and hearing
- 23 aids for children. The department may enter into a contract
- 24 to administer this paragraph.
- 25 g. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$25,000 is
- 26 transferred to the university of Iowa college of dentistry for
- 27 provision of primary dental services to children. State funds
- 28 shall be matched on a dollar-for-dollar basis. The university
- 29 of Iowa college of dentistry shall coordinate efforts with the
- 30 department of public health, bureau of oral and health delivery
- 31 systems, to provide dental care to underserved populations
- 32 throughout the state.
- 33 h. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$50,000
- 34 shall be used to address youth suicide prevention.
- i. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$50,000

- 1 shall be used to support the Iowa effort to address the survey
- 2 of children who experience adverse childhood experiences known
- 3 as ACEs.
- 4 3. CHRONIC CONDITIONS
- 5 For serving individuals identified as having chronic
- 6 conditions or special health care needs, and for not more than
- 7 the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 8 \$ 5,105,861
- 9 FTEs 5.00
- 10 a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$159,932
- 11 shall be used for grants to individual patients who have an
- 12 inherited metabolic disorder to assist with the costs of
- 13 medically necessary foods and formula.
- b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$891,644
- 15 shall be used for the brain injury services program pursuant to
- 16 section 135.22B, including for continuation of the contracts
- 17 for resource facilitator services in accordance with section
- 18 135.22B, subsection 9, and to enhance brain injury training and
- 19 recruitment of service providers on a statewide basis. Of the
- 20 amount allocated in this paragraph, \$95,000 shall be used to
- 21 fund one full-time equivalent position to serve as the state
- 22 brain injury services program manager.
- 23 c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$547,982
- 24 shall be used as additional funding to leverage federal funding
- 25 through the federal Ryan White Care Act, Tit. II, AIDS drug
- 26 assistance program supplemental drug treatment grants.
- 27 d. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$149,823
- 28 shall be used for the public purpose of continuing to contract
- 29 with an existing national-affiliated organization to provide
- 30 education, client-centered programs, and client and family
- 31 support for people living with epilepsy and their families.
- 32 The amount allocated in this paragraph in excess of \$100,000
- 33 shall be matched dollar-for-dollar by the organization
- 34 specified.
- 35 e. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$785,114

- 1 shall be used for child health specialty clinics.
- 2 f. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$400,000
- 3 shall be used by the regional autism assistance program
- 4 established pursuant to section 256.35, and administered by
- 5 the child health specialty clinic located at the university of
- 6 Iowa hospitals and clinics. The funds shall be used to enhance
- 7 interagency collaboration and coordination of educational,
- 8 medical, and other human services for persons with autism,
- 9 their families, and providers of services, including delivering
- 10 regionalized services of care coordination, family navigation,
- 11 and integration of services through the statewide system of
- 12 regional child health specialty clinics and fulfilling other
- 13 requirements as specified in chapter 225D. The university of
- 14 Iowa shall not receive funds allocated under this paragraph for
- 15 indirect costs associated with the regional autism assistance
- 16 program.
- g. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$570,993
- 18 shall be used for the comprehensive cancer control program to
- 19 reduce the burden of cancer in Iowa through prevention, early
- 20 detection, effective treatment, and ensuring quality of life.
- 21 Of the funds allocated in this paragraph "g", \$150,000 shall
- 22 be used to support a melanoma research symposium, a melanoma
- 23 biorepository and registry, basic and translational melanoma
- 24 research, and clinical trials.
- 25 h. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$126,450
- 26 shall be used for cervical and colon cancer screening, and
- 27 \$300,000 shall be used to enhance the capacity of the cervical
- 28 cancer screening program to include provision of recommended
- 29 prevention and early detection measures to a broader range of
- 30 low-income women.
- i. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$676,864
- 32 shall be used for the center for congenital and inherited
- 33 disorders including to provide for surveillance of stillbirths
- 34 as defined in section 136A.2.
- 35 j. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$129,411

- 1 shall be used for the prescription drug donation repository
- 2 program created in chapter 135M.
- 3 k. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 4 \$215,263 shall be used by the department of public health
- 5 for reform-related activities, including but not limited to
- 6 facilitation of communication to stakeholders at the state and
- 7 local level, administering the patient-centered health advisory
- 8 council pursuant to section 135.159, and involvement in health
- 9 care system innovation activities occurring across the state.
- 10 l. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$25,000
- 11 shall be used for administration of chapter 124D, the medical
- 12 cannabidiol Act, or other Code provisions authorizing the
- 13 compassionate medical use of cannabis, if enacted by the 2015
- 14 regular session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly.
- 15 4. COMMUNITY CAPACITY
- 16 For strengthening the health care delivery system at the
- 17 local level, and for not more than the following full-time
- 18 equivalent positions:
- 19 \$ 8,719,716
- 20 FTES 11.00
- 21 a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$99,414
- 22 is allocated for continuation of the child vision screening
- 23 program implemented through the university of Iowa hospitals
- 24 and clinics in collaboration with early childhood Iowa areas.
- 25 The program shall submit a report to the individuals identified
- 26 in this Act for submission of reports regarding the use of
- 27 funds allocated under this paragraph "a". The report shall
- 28 include the objectives and results for the program year
- 29 including the target population and how the funds allocated
- 30 assisted the program in meeting the objectives; the number,
- 31 age, and location within the state of individuals served;
- 32 the type of services provided to the individuals served; the
- 33 distribution of funds based on service provided; and the
- 34 continuing needs of the program.
- 35 b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$110,656 is

- 1 allocated for continuation of an initiative implemented at the
- 2 university of Iowa and \$99,904 is allocated for continuation of
- 3 an initiative at the state mental health institute at Cherokee
- 4 to expand and improve the workforce engaged in mental health
- 5 treatment and services. The initiatives shall receive input
- 6 from the university of Iowa, the department of human services,
- 7 the department of public health, and the mental health and
- 8 disability services commission to address the focus of the
- 9 initiatives.
- 10 c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$1,164,628
- 11 shall be used for essential public health services that promote
- 12 healthy aging throughout one's lifespan, contracted through a
- 13 formula for local boards of health, to enhance health promotion $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right)$
- 14 and disease prevention services.
- 15 d. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$99,286 shall
- 16 be deposited in the governmental public health system fund
- 17 created in section 135A.8 to be used for the purposes of the
- 18 fund.
- 19 e. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$105,448
- 20 shall be used to continue to address the shortage of mental
- 21 health professionals in the state.
- 22 f. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 23 \$50,000 shall be used for a grant to a statewide association
- 24 of psychologists that is affiliated with the American
- 25 psychological association to be used for continuation of a
- 26 program to rotate intern psychologists in placements in urban
- 27 and rural mental health professional shortage areas, as defined
- 28 in section 135.180.
- 29 g. (1) Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 30 \$2,882,969 shall be allocated as a grant to the Iowa primary
- 31 care association to be used pursuant to section 135.153 for
- 32 the statewide coordination of the Iowa collaborative safety
- 33 net provider network. Coordination of the network shall
- 34 focus on increasing access by underserved populations to
- 35 health care services, increasing integration of the health

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1 system and collaboration across the continuum of care with
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- 2 a focus on safety net services, and enhancing the Iowa
- 3 collaborative safety net provider network's communication and
- 4 education efforts. The amount allocated as a grant under this
- 5 subparagraph (1) shall be used as follows to support the Iowa
- 6 collaborative safety net provider network goals of increased
- 7 access, health system integration, and engagement:
- 8 (a) For distribution to safety net partners in the state
- 9 that work to increase access of the underserved population to
- 10 health services:
- 11 \$ 1,025,485
- 12 (i) Of the amount allocated in this subparagraph
- 13 division (a), up to \$413,415 shall be distributed to the
- 14 Iowa prescription drug corporation for continuation of the
- 15 pharmaceutical infrastructure for safety net providers as
- 16 described in 2007 Iowa Acts, chapter 218, section 108.
- 17 (ii) Of the amount allocated in this subparagraph division
- 18 (a), up to \$348,322 shall be distributed to free clinics and
- 19 free clinics of Iowa for necessary infrastructure, statewide
- 20 coordination, provider recruitment, service delivery, and
- 21 provision of assistance to patients in securing a medical home
- 22 inclusive of oral health care.
- 23 (iii) Of the amount allocated in this subparagraph
- 24 division (a), up to \$50,000 shall be distributed to the
- 25 Iowa coalition against sexual assault to continue a training
- 26 program for sexual assault response team (SART) members,
- 27 including representatives of law enforcement, victim advocates,
- 28 prosecutors, and certified medical personnel.
- 29 (iv) Of the amount allocated in this subparagraph division
- 30 (a), up to \$213,748 shall be distributed to the Polk county
- 31 medical society for continuation of the safety net provider
- 32 patient access to a specialty health care initiative as
- 33 described in 2007 Iowa Acts, chapter 218, section 109.
- 34 (b) For distribution to safety net partners in the
- 35 state that work to increase health system integration, care

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1 coordination, and collaboration across the continuum of care
 2 with a focus on safety net services. Such efforts shall
 3 include but not be limited to community care coordination team
 4 development and integration of medical and behavioral health
 5 services.
             Efforts shall also include working, in conjunction
 6 with the department of human services and the department
 7 of public health, to support Medicaid managed care efforts
 8 inclusive of the state innovation model through the continued
 9 development and implementation of community care coordination
          Implementation of the community care coordination
10 teams.
11 teams shall be accomplished through a statewide regionally
12 based network that provides an integrated approach to health
13 care delivery through care coordination that supports primary
14 care providers and links patients with community resources
15 necessary to empower patients in addressing biomedical and
16 social determinants of health to improve health outcomes:
17 ..... $ 1,672,199
     (c) For distribution to safety net partners in the state
19 that work to serve as a resource for credible, accurate
20 information on health care-related needs and services
21 for vulnerable populations in the state including the
22 Iowa association of rural health clinics for necessary
23 infrastructure and service delivery transformation and the Iowa
24 primary care association to support partner engagement, program
25 management, and statewide coordination of the network:
26 ..... $
                                                         185,285
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     (2) The amount allocated under this paragraph "g" shall
28 not be reduced for administrative or other costs prior to
29 distribution. The Iowa collaborative safety net provider
30 network may continue to distribute funds allocated pursuant to
31 this paragraph "g" through existing contracts or renewal of
32 existing contracts.
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     (3) For each goal of the Iowa collaborative safety net
34 provider network, the Iowa primary care association shall
35 submit a progress report to the individuals designated in this
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- 1 Act for submission of reports by December 15, 2015, including
- 2 progress in developing and implementing the network, how the
- 3 funds were distributed and used in developing and implementing
- 4 the network, and the remaining needs identified to fully
- 5 develop and implement the network.
- 6 h. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$213,400
- 7 shall be used for continuation of the work of the direct care
- 8 worker advisory council established pursuant to 2008 Iowa Acts,
- 9 chapter 1188, section 69, in implementing the recommendations
- 10 in the final report submitted by the advisory council to the
- 11 governor and the general assembly in March 2012.
- i. (1) Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 13 \$216,375 shall be used for allocation to an independent
- 14 statewide direct care worker organization under continuation
- 15 of the contract in effect during the fiscal year ending June
- 16 30, 2015.
- 17 (2) Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$75,000
- 18 shall be used to provide scholarships or other forms of
- 19 subsidization for direct care worker educational conferences,
- 20 training, or outreach activities.
- 21 j. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, the
- 22 department may use up to \$58,175 for up to one full-time
- 23 equivalent position to administer the volunteer health care
- 24 provider program pursuant to section 135.24.
- 25 k. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$100,000
- 26 shall be used for a matching dental education loan repayment
- 27 program to be allocated to a dental nonprofit health service
- 28 corporation to continue to develop the criteria and implement
- 29 the loan repayment program.
- 30 1. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$105,823 is
- 31 transferred to the college student aid commission for deposit
- 32 in the rural Iowa primary care trust fund created in section
- 33 261.113 to be used for the purposes of the fund.
- m. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$250,000
- 35 shall be used for the purposes of the Iowa donor registry as

1 specified in section 142C.18.

- 2 n. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$100,000
- 3 shall be used for continuation of a grant to a nationally
- 4 affiliated volunteer eye organization that has an established
- 5 program for children and adults and that is solely dedicated to
- 6 preserving sight and preventing blindness through education,
- 7 nationally certified vision screening and training, and
- 8 community and patient service programs. The organization
- 9 shall submit a report to the individuals identified in this
- 10 Act for submission of reports regarding the use of funds
- 11 allocated under this paragraph "n". The report shall include
- 12 the objectives and results for the program year including
- 13 the target population and how the funds allocated assisted
- 14 the program in meeting the objectives; the number, age, and
- 15 location within the state of individuals served; the type of
- 16 services provided to the individuals served; the distribution
- 17 of funds based on services provided; and the continuing needs
- 18 of the program.
- 19 o. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$25,000
- 20 shall be used for the continuation of a wellness council under
- 21 the direction of the director of public health to increase
- 22 support for wellness activities in the state.
- 23 p. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$2,000,000
- 24 shall be deposited in the medical residency training account
- 25 created in section 135.175, subsection 5, paragraph "a", and
- 26 is appropriated from the account to the department of public
- 27 health to be used for the purposes of the medical residency
- 28 training state matching grants program as specified in section
- 29 135.176. However, notwithstanding any provision to the
- 30 contrary in section 135.176, priority in the awarding of grants
- 31 shall be given to sponsors that propose preference in the use
- 32 of the grant funds for psychiatric residency positions and
- 33 family practice residency positions.
- q. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$30,000
- 35 shall be used for a grant to a dental nonprofit health service

1	corporation to support an initiative of the lifelong smiles
2	coalition in developing and testing an oral health specialty
3	training for direct care professionals. The specialty training
4	curriculum shall be developed through a partnership with the
5	university of Iowa college of dentistry and the college of
6	nursing to increase access to and improve oral health care of
7	older Iowans who are homebound or living in nursing facilities,
8	to improve and enhance their overall health, comfort, and
9	dignity.
10	5. HEALTHY AGING
11	To provide public health services that reduce risks and
12	invest in promoting and protecting good health over the
13	course of a lifetime with a priority given to older Iowans and
14	vulnerable populations:
15	\$ 7,297,142
16	6. INFECTIOUS DISEASES
17	For reducing the incidence and prevalence of communicable
18	diseases, and for not more than the following full-time
19	equivalent positions:
20	\$ 1,335,155
21	FTEs 4.00
22	7. PUBLIC PROTECTION
23	For protecting the health and safety of the public through
24	establishing standards and enforcing regulations, and for not
25	more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
26	\$ 4,339,191
27	FTEs 135.50
28	a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, not more
29	than \$454,700 shall be credited to the emergency medical
30	services fund created in section 135.25. Moneys in the
31	emergency medical services fund are appropriated to the
32	department to be used for the purposes of the fund.
33	b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$203,032
34	shall be used for sexual violence prevention programming
35	through a statewide organization representing programs

- 1 serving victims of sexual violence through the department's
- 2 sexual violence prevention program. The amount allocated
- 3 in this paragraph "b" shall not be used to supplant funding
- 4 administered for other sexual violence prevention or victims
- 5 assistance programs.
- 6 c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$598,751
- 7 shall be used for the state poison control center. Pursuant
- 8 to the directive under 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140, section
- 9 102, the federal matching funds available to the state poison
- 10 control center from the department of human services under the
- 11 federal Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act
- 12 allotment shall be subject to the federal administrative cap
- 13 rule of 10 percent applicable to funding provided under Tit.
- 14 XXI of the federal Social Security Act and included within the
- 15 department's calculations of the cap.
- 16 d. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$537,750
- 17 shall be used for childhood lead poisoning provisions.
- 18 8. RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
- 19 For establishing and sustaining the overall ability of the
- 20 department to deliver services to the public, and for not more
- 21 than the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 22 \$ 855,072
- 23 FTEs 4.00
- 24 The university of Iowa hospitals and clinics under the
- 25 control of the state board of regents shall not receive
- 26 indirect costs from the funds appropriated in this section.
- 27 The university of Iowa hospitals and clinics billings to the
- 28 department shall be on at least a quarterly basis.
- 29 DIVISION IV
- 30 DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS FY 2015-2016
- 31 Sec. 4. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS. There is
- 32 appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
- 33 department of veterans affairs for the fiscal year beginning
- 34 July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following amounts,
- 35 or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes

1	designated:
2	1. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS ADMINISTRATION
3	For salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous
4	purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
5	equivalent positions:
6	\$ 1,200,546
7	FTEs 15.00
8	2. IOWA VETERANS HOME
9	For salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous
10	purposes:
11	\$ 7,594,996
12	a. The Iowa veterans home billings involving the department
13	of human services shall be submitted to the department on at
14	least a monthly basis.
15	b. If there is a change in the employer of employees
16	providing services at the Iowa veterans home under a collective
17	bargaining agreement, such employees and the agreement shall
18	be continued by the successor employer as though there had not
19	been a change in employer.
20	c. Within available resources and in conformance with
21	associated state and federal program eligibility requirements,
22	the Iowa veterans home may implement measures to provide
	financial assistance to or on behalf of veterans or their
24	spouses who are participating in the community reentry program.
25	d. The Iowa veterans home expenditure report shall be
26	submitted monthly to the legislative services agency.
27	3. HOME OWNERSHIP ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
28	For transfer to the Iowa finance authority for the
29	continuation of the home ownership assistance program for
30	persons who are or were eligible members of the armed forces of
	the United States, pursuant to section 16.54:
32	\$ 2,500,000
33	Sec. 5. LIMITATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONS OF VETERAN AFFAIRS
	FUND STANDING APPROPRIATIONS. Notwithstanding the standing
35	appropriation in section 35A.16 for the fiscal year beginning

7	Tule 1 2015 and anding Tune 20 2016 the amount appropriated
	July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the amount appropriated from the general fund of the state pursuant to that section
	for the following designated purposes shall not exceed the
	following amount:
5	For the county commissions of veteran affairs fund under
	section 35A.16:
7	\$ 990,000
8	DIVISION V
9	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES — FY 2015-2016
10	Sec. 6. TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES BLOCK
	GRANT. There is appropriated from the fund created in section
	8.41 to the department of human services for the fiscal year
	beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, from moneys
	received under the federal temporary assistance for needy
	families (TANF) block grant pursuant to the federal Personal
	Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996,
17	Pub. L. No. 104-193, and successor legislation, the following
18	amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
19	purposes designated:
20	1. To be credited to the family investment program account
21	and used for assistance under the family investment program
22	under chapter 239B:
23	\$ 5,136,995
24	2. To be credited to the family investment program account
25	and used for the job opportunities and basic skills (JOBS)
26	program and implementing family investment agreements in
27	accordance with chapter 239B:
28	\$ 10,138,178
29	 To be used for the family development and
30	self-sufficiency grant program in accordance with section
31	216A.107:
32	\$ 2,898,980
33	Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in this
	subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
35	of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain available

1	for expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of
2	the succeeding fiscal year. However, unless such moneys are
3	encumbered or obligated on or before September 30, 2016, the
4	moneys shall revert.
5	4. For field operations:
6	\$ 31,296,232
7	5. For general administration:
8	\$ 3,744,000
9	6. For state child care assistance:
10	\$ 35,047,110
11	a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
12	\$26,328,097 is transferred to the child care and development
13	block grant appropriation made by the Eighty-sixth General
14	Assembly, 2015 Session, for the federal fiscal year beginning
15	October 1, 2015, and ending September 30, 2016. Of this
16	amount, \$200,000 shall be used for provision of educational
17	opportunities to registered child care home providers in order
18	to improve services and programs offered by this category
19	of providers and to increase the number of providers. The
20	department may contract with institutions of higher education
21	or child care resource and referral centers to provide
22	the educational opportunities. Allowable administrative
23	costs under the contracts shall not exceed 5 percent. The
24	application for a grant shall not exceed two pages in length.
25	b. Any funds appropriated in this subsection remaining
26	unallocated shall be used for state child care assistance
27	payments for families who are employed including but not
28	limited to individuals enrolled in the family investment
29	program.
30	7. For distribution to counties and regions through the
31	property tax relief fund for mental health and disability
32	services as provided in an appropriation made for this purpose:
33	\$ 4,894,052
34	8. For child and family services:
35	\$ 32,084,430

1	9. For child abuse prevention grants:
2	\$ 125,000
3	10. For pregnancy prevention grants on the condition that
4	family planning services are funded:
5	\$ 1,930,067
6	Pregnancy prevention grants shall be awarded to programs
7	in existence on or before July 1, 2015, if the programs have
8	demonstrated positive outcomes. Grants shall be awarded to
9	pregnancy prevention programs which are developed after July
10	1, 2015, if the programs are based on existing models that
11	have demonstrated positive outcomes. Grants shall comply with
12	the requirements provided in 1997 Iowa Acts, chapter 208,
13	section 14, subsections 1 and 2, including the requirement that
14	grant programs must emphasize sexual abstinence. Priority in
15	the awarding of grants shall be given to programs that serve
16	areas of the state which demonstrate the highest percentage of
17	unplanned pregnancies of females of childbearing age within the
18	geographic area to be served by the grant.
19	11. For technology needs and other resources necessary
20	to meet federal welfare reform reporting, tracking, and case
21	management requirements:
22	\$ 1,037,186
23	12. For the family investment program share of the costs to
24	continue to develop and maintain a new, integrated eligibility
	determination system:
26	\$ 6,654,880
27	13. a. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary,
28	including but not limited to requirements in section 8.41 or
29	provisions in 2014 or 2015 Iowa Acts regarding the receipt and
30	appropriation of federal block grants, federal funds from the
31	temporary assistance for needy families block grant received by
32	the state and not otherwise appropriated in this section and
33	remaining available for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
34	are appropriated to the department of human services to the
35	extent as may be necessary to be used in the following priority

- 1 order: the family investment program, for state child care
- 2 assistance program payments for families who are employed, and
- 3 for the family investment program share of costs to develop and
- 4 maintain a new, integrated eligibility determination system.
- 5 The federal funds appropriated in this paragraph "a" shall be
- 6 expended only after all other funds appropriated in subsection
- 7 1 for the assistance under the family investment program,
- 8 in subsection 6 for child care assistance, or in subsection
- 9 12 for the family investment program share of the costs to
- 10 continue to develop and maintain a new, integrated eligibility
- 11 determination system, as applicable, have been expended. For
- 12 the purposes of this subsection, the funds appropriated in
- 13 subsection 6, paragraph "a", for transfer to the child care
- 14 and development block grant appropriation are considered fully
- 15 expended when the full amount has been transferred.
- 16 b. The department shall, on a quarterly basis, advise the
- 17 legislative services agency and department of management of
- 18 the amount of funds appropriated in this subsection that was
- 19 expended in the prior quarter.
- 20 14. Of the amounts appropriated in this section,
- 21 \$12,962,008 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, is
- 22 transferred to the appropriation of the federal social services
- 23 block grant made to the department of human services for that
- 24 fiscal year.
- 25 15. For continuation of the program providing categorical
- 26 eligibility for the food assistance program as specified for
- 27 the program in the section of this division of this 2015 Act
- 28 relating to the family investment program account:
- 29 \$ 25,000
- 30 16. The department may transfer funds allocated in this
- 31 section to the appropriations made in this division of this Act
- 32 for the same fiscal year for general administration and field
- 33 operations for resources necessary to implement and operate the
- 34 services referred to in this section and those funded in the
- 35 appropriation made in this division of this Act for the same

- 1 fiscal year for the family investment program from the general 2 fund of the state.
- 3 Sec. 7. FAMILY INVESTMENT PROGRAM ACCOUNT.
- 4 l. Moneys credited to the family investment program (FIP)
- 5 account for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and
- 6 ending June 30, 2016, shall be used to provide assistance in
- 7 accordance with chapter 239B.
- 8 2. The department may use a portion of the moneys credited
- 9 to the FIP account under this section as necessary for
- 10 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes.
- 11 3. The department may transfer funds allocated in
- 12 subsection 4 to the appropriations made in this division of
- 13 this Act for the same fiscal year for general administration
- 14 and field operations for resources necessary to implement and
- 15 operate the family investment program services referred to in
- 16 this section and those funded in the appropriation made in this
- 17 division of this Act for the same fiscal year for the family
- 18 investment program from the general fund of the state.
- 19 4. Moneys appropriated in this division of this Act and
- 20 credited to the FIP account for the fiscal year beginning July
- 21 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, are allocated as follows:
- 22 a. To be retained by the department of human services to
- 23 be used for coordinating with the department of human rights
- 24 to more effectively serve participants in FIP and other shared
- 25 clients and to meet federal reporting requirements under the
- 26 federal temporary assistance for needy families block grant:
- 27 \$ 20,000
- 28 b. To the department of human rights for staffing,
- 29 administration, and implementation of the family development
- 30 and self-sufficiency grant program in accordance with section
- 31 216A.107:
- 32 \$ 6,392,834
- 33 (1) Of the funds allocated for the family development
- 34 and self-sufficiency grant program in this paragraph "b",
- 35 not more than 5 percent of the funds shall be used for the

1 administration of the grant program.

- 2 (2) The department of human rights may continue to implement
- 3 the family development and self-sufficiency grant program
- 4 statewide during fiscal year 2015-2016.
- 5 (3) The department of human rights may engage in activities
- 6 to strengthen and improve family outcomes measures and
- 7 data collection systems under the family development and
- 8 self-sufficiency grant program.
- 9 c. For the diversion subaccount of the FIP account:
- 10 \$ 815,000
- 11 A portion of the moneys allocated for the subaccount may
- 12 be used for field operations, salaries, data management
- 13 system development, and implementation costs and support
- 14 deemed necessary by the director of human services in order
- 15 to administer the FIP diversion program. To the extent
- 16 moneys allocated in this paragraph "c" are not deemed by the
- 17 department to be necessary to support diversion activities,
- 18 such moneys may be used for other efforts intended to increase
- 19 engagement by family investment program participants in work,
- 20 education, or training activities.
- 21 d. For the food assistance employment and training program:
- 22 \$ 66,588
- 23 (1) The department shall apply the federal supplemental
- 24 nutrition assistance program (SNAP) employment and training
- 25 state plan in order to maximize to the fullest extent permitted
- 26 by federal law the use of the 50 percent federal reimbursement
- 27 provisions for the claiming of allowable federal reimbursement
- 28 funds from the United States department of agriculture
- 29 pursuant to the federal SNAP employment and training program
- 30 for providing education, employment, and training services
- 31 for eligible food assistance program participants, including
- 32 but not limited to related dependent care and transportation
- 33 expenses.
- 34 (2) The department shall continue the categorical federal
- 35 food assistance program eligibility at 160 percent of the

- 1 federal poverty level and continue to eliminate the asset test
- 2 from eligibility requirements, consistent with federal food
- 3 assistance program requirements. The department shall include
- 4 as many food assistance households as is allowed by federal
- 5 law. The eligibility provisions shall conform to all federal
- 6 requirements including requirements addressing individuals who
- 7 are incarcerated or otherwise ineligible.
- 8 e. For the JOBS program:
- 9 \$ 17,540,398
- 10 5. Of the child support collections assigned under FIP,
- 11 an amount equal to the federal share of support collections
- 12 shall be credited to the child support recovery appropriation
- 13 made in this division of this Act. Of the remainder of the
- 14 assigned child support collections received by the child
- 15 support recovery unit, a portion shall be credited to the FIP
- 16 account, a portion may be used to increase recoveries, and a
- 17 portion may be used to sustain cash flow in the child support
- 18 payments account. If as a consequence of the appropriations
- 19 and allocations made in this section the resulting amounts
- 20 are insufficient to sustain cash assistance payments and meet
- 21 federal maintenance of effort requirements, the department
- 22 shall seek supplemental funding. If child support collections
- 23 assigned under FIP are greater than estimated or are otherwise
- 24 determined not to be required for maintenance of effort, the
- 25 state share of either amount may be transferred to or retained
- 26 in the child support payments account.
- 27 6. The department may adopt emergency rules for the family
- 28 investment, JOBS, food assistance, and medical assistance
- 29 programs if necessary to comply with federal requirements.
- 30 Sec. 8. FAMILY INVESTMENT PROGRAM GENERAL FUND. There
- 31 is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
- 32 department of human services for the fiscal year beginning July
- 33 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following amount, or
- 34 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purpose
- 35 designated:

- 1 To be credited to the family investment program (FIP)
- 2 account and used for family investment program assistance under
- 3 chapter 239B:
- 4 \$ 49,093,875
- 1. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$7,402,220 is
- 6 allocated for the JOBS program.
- 7 2. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$3,513,854 is
- 8 allocated for the family development and self-sufficiency grant
- 9 program.
- 3. Notwithstanding section 8.39, for the fiscal year
- 11 beginning July 1, 2015, if necessary to meet federal
- 12 maintenance of effort requirements or to transfer federal
- 13 temporary assistance for needy families block grant funding
- 14 to be used for purposes of the federal social services block
- 15 grant or to meet cash flow needs resulting from delays in
- 16 receiving federal funding or to implement, in accordance with
- 17 this division of this Act, activities currently funded with
- 18 juvenile court services, county, or community moneys and state
- 19 moneys used in combination with such moneys, the department
- 20 of human services may transfer funds within or between any
- 21 of the appropriations made in this division of this Act and
- 22 appropriations in law for the federal social services block
- 23 grant to the department for the following purposes, provided
- 24 that the combined amount of state and federal temporary
- 25 assistance for needy families block grant funding for each
- 26 appropriation remains the same before and after the transfer:
- 27 a. For the family investment program.
- 28 b. For child care assistance.
- 29 c. For child and family services.
- 30 d. For field operations.
- 31 e. For general administration.
- 32 f. For distribution to counties or regions through the
- 33 property tax relief fund for mental health and disability
- 34 services as provided in an appropriation for this purpose.
- 35 This subsection shall not be construed to prohibit the use

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- 1 of existing state transfer authority for other purposes. The
- 2 department shall report any transfers made pursuant to this
- 3 subsection to the legislative services agency.
- 4 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$195,678 shall
- 5 be used for continuation of a grant to an Iowa-based nonprofit
- 6 organization with a history of providing tax preparation
- 7 assistance to low-income Iowans in order to expand the usage of
- 8 the earned income tax credit. The purpose of the grant is to
- 9 supply this assistance to underserved areas of the state.
- 10 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$80,000 shall
- 11 be used for the continuation of an unfunded pilot project, as
- 12 defined in 441 IAC 100.1, relating to parental obligations,
- 13 in which the child support recovery unit participates, to
- 14 support the efforts of a nonprofit organization committed to
- 15 strengthening the community through youth development, healthy
- 16 living, and social responsibility headquartered in a county
- 17 with a population over 350,000. The funds allocated in this
- 18 subsection shall be used by the recipient organization to
- 19 develop a larger community effort, through public and private
- 20 partnerships, to support a broad-based multi-county fatherhood
- 21 initiative that promotes payment of child support obligations,
- 22 improved family relationships, and full-time employment.
- 6. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$200,000 shall
- 24 be used as a grant to a nonprofit organization organized under
- 25 section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code to implement a
- 26 youth development strategy through after-school programming
- 27 that promotes academic success, healthy lifestyles, good
- 28 character, and citizenship. The organization shall meet all of
- 29 the following criteria:
- 30 a. Operate statewide and provide services through more than
- 31 one location.
- 32 b. Provide the after-school programming for students ages
- 33 five through eighteen years of age who are members of families
- 34 eligible for the federal temporary assistance for needy
- 35 families program.

- c. Provide evidence, based on measurable outcomes, that the after-school programming provided results in increased student achievement.
- 4 7. The department may transfer funds appropriated in this
- 5 section to the appropriations made in this division of this Act
- 6 for general administration and field operations as necessary
- 7 to administer this section and the overall family investment
- 8 program.
- 9 Sec. 9. CHILD SUPPORT RECOVERY. There is appropriated
- 10 from the general fund of the state to the department of human
- 11 services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending
- 12 June 30, 2016, the following amount, or so much thereof as is
- 13 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:
- 14 For child support recovery, including salaries, support,
- 15 maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
- 16 the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 17 \$ 14,663,373
- 18 FTEs 464.00
- 19 1. The department shall expend up to \$24,329, including
- 20 federal financial participation, for the fiscal year beginning
- 21 July 1, 2015, for a child support public awareness campaign.
- 22 The department and the office of the attorney general shall
- 23 cooperate in continuation of the campaign. The public
- 24 awareness campaign shall emphasize, through a variety of
- 25 media activities, the importance of maximum involvement of
- 26 both parents in the lives of their children as well as the
- 27 importance of payment of child support obligations.
- 28 2. Federal access and visitation grant moneys shall be
- 29 issued directly to private not-for-profit agencies that provide
- 30 services designed to increase compliance with the child access
- 31 provisions of court orders, including but not limited to
- 32 neutral visitation sites and mediation services.
- 33 3. The appropriation made to the department for child
- 34 support recovery may be used throughout the fiscal year in the
- 35 manner necessary for purposes of cash flow management, and for

- 1 cash flow management purposes the department may temporarily
- 2 draw more than the amount appropriated, provided the amount
- 3 appropriated is not exceeded at the close of the fiscal year.
- 4 4. With the exception of the funding amount specified, the
- 5 requirements established under 2001 Iowa Acts, chapter 191,
- 6 section 3, subsection 5, paragraph "c", subparagraph (3), shall
- 7 be applicable to parental obligation pilot projects for the
- 8 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016.
- 9 Notwithstanding 441 IAC 100.8, providing for termination of
- 10 rules relating to the pilot projects, the rules shall remain
- 11 in effect until June 30, 2016.
- 12 Sec. 10. HEALTH CARE TRUST FUND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE —
- 13 FY 2015-2016. Any funds remaining in the health care trust
- 14 fund created in section 453A.35A for the fiscal year beginning
- 15 July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, are appropriated to
- 16 the department of human services to supplement the medical
- 17 assistance program appropriations made in this division of this
- 18 Act, for medical assistance reimbursement and associated costs,
- 19 including program administration and costs associated with
- 20 program implementation.
- 21 Sec. 11. MEDICAID FRAUD FUND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FY
- 22 2015-2016. Any funds remaining in the Medicaid fraud fund
- 23 created in section 249A.50 for the fiscal year beginning
- 24 July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, are appropriated to
- 25 the department of human services to supplement the medical
- 26 assistance appropriations made in this division of this Act,
- 27 for medical assistance reimbursement and associated costs,
- 28 including program administration and costs associated with
- 29 program implementation.
- 30 Sec. 12. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE.
- 31 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 32 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 33 beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following
- 34 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 35 purpose designated:

- 1 For medical assistance program reimbursement and associated
- 2 costs as specifically provided in the reimbursement
- 3 methodologies in effect on June 30, 2015, except as otherwise
- 4 expressly authorized by law, including reimbursement for
- 5 abortion services which shall be available under the medical
- 6 assistance program only for those abortions which are medically
- 7 necessary:
- 8 \$ 1,346,353,640
- 9 2. Medically necessary abortions are those performed under
- 10 any of the following conditions:
- ll a. The attending physician certifies that continuing the
- 12 pregnancy would endanger the life of the pregnant woman.
- 13 b. The attending physician certifies that the fetus is
- 14 physically deformed, mentally deficient, or afflicted with a
- 15 congenital illness.
- 16 c. The pregnancy is the result of a rape which is reported
- 17 within 45 days of the incident to a law enforcement agency or
- 18 public or private health agency which may include a family
- 19 physician.
- 20 d. The pregnancy is the result of incest which is reported
- 21 within 150 days of the incident to a law enforcement agency
- 22 or public or private health agency which may include a family
- 23 physician.
- e. Any spontaneous abortion, commonly known as a
- 25 miscarriage, if not all of the products of conception are
- 26 expelled.
- 27 3. a. Iowans support reducing the number of abortions
- 28 performed in our state. For an abortion covered under the
- 29 program, except in the case of a medical emergency, as defined
- 30 in section 135L.1, for any woman, the physician shall certify
- 31 both of the following:
- 32 (1) That the woman has been given the opportunity to view an
- 33 ultrasound image of the fetus as part of the standard of care
- 34 before an abortion is performed.
- 35 (2) That the woman has been provided information regarding

- 1 the options relative to a pregnancy, including continuing the
- 2 pregnancy to term and retaining parental rights following the
- 3 child's birth, continuing the pregnancy to term and placing the
- 4 child for adoption, and terminating the pregnancy.
- 5 b. The provisions of this section relating to abortions
- 6 shall also apply to the Iowa health and wellness plan created
- 7 pursuant to chapter 249N.
- 8 4. The department shall utilize not more than \$60,000 of
- 9 the funds appropriated in this section to continue the AIDS/HIV
- 10 health insurance premium payment program as established in 1992
- 11 Iowa Acts, Second Extraordinary Session, chapter 1001, section
- 12 409, subsection 6. Of the funds allocated in this subsection,
- 13 not more than \$5,000 may be expended for administrative
- 14 purposes.
- 15 5. Of the funds appropriated in this Act to the department
- 16 of public health for addictive disorders, \$950,000 for
- 17 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, is transferred
- 18 to the department of human services for an integrated
- 19 substance-related disorder managed care system. The department
- 20 shall not assume management of the substance-related disorder
- 21 system in place of the managed care contractor unless such
- 22 a change in approach is specifically authorized in law.
- 23 The departments of human services and public health shall
- 24 work together to maintain the level of mental health and
- 25 substance-related disorder treatment services provided by the
- 26 managed care contractor through the Iowa plan for behavioral
- 27 health. Each department shall take the steps necessary to
- 28 continue the federal waivers as necessary to maintain the level
- 29 of services.
- 30 6. a. The department shall aggressively pursue options for
- 31 providing medical assistance or other assistance to individuals
- 32 with special needs who become ineligible to continue receiving
- 33 services under the early and periodic screening, diagnostic,
- 34 and treatment program under the medical assistance program
- 35 due to becoming 21 years of age who have been approved for

1 additional assistance through the department's exception to

- 2 policy provisions, but who have health care needs in excess
- 3 of the funding available through the exception to policy
- 4 provisions.
- 5 b. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$100,000
- 6 shall be used for participation in one or more pilot projects
- 7 operated by a private provider to allow the individual or
- 8 individuals to receive service in the community in accordance
- 9 with principles established in Olmstead v. L.C., 527 U.S. 581
- 10 (1999), for the purpose of providing medical assistance or
- 11 other assistance to individuals with special needs who become
- 12 ineligible to continue receiving services under the early and
- 13 periodic screening, diagnostic, and treatment program under
- 14 the medical assistance program due to becoming 21 years of
- 15 age who have been approved for additional assistance through
- 16 the department's exception to policy provisions, but who have
- 17 health care needs in excess of the funding available through
- 18 the exception to the policy provisions.
- 19 7. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to
- 20 \$3,050,082 may be transferred to the field operations or
- 21 general administration appropriations in this division of this
- 22 Act for operational costs associated with Part D of the federal
- 23 Medicare Prescription Drug Improvement and Modernization Act
- 24 of 2003, Pub. L. No. 108-173.
- 8. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to \$442,100
- 26 may be transferred to the appropriation in this division
- 27 of this Act for medical contracts to be used for clinical
- 28 assessment services and prior authorization of services.
- 9. A portion of the funds appropriated in this section
- 30 may be transferred to the appropriations in this division of
- 31 this Act for general administration, medical contracts, the
- 32 children's health insurance program, or field operations to be
- 33 used for the state match cost to comply with the payment error
- 34 rate measurement (PERM) program for both the medical assistance
- 35 and children's health insurance programs as developed by the

- 1 centers for Medicare and Medicaid services of the United States
- 2 department of health and human services to comply with the
- 3 federal Improper Payments Information Act of 2002, Pub. L. No.
- 4 107-300.
- 5 10. The department shall continue to implement the
- 6 recommendations of the assuring better child health and
- 7 development initiative II (ABCDII) clinical panel to the
- 8 Iowa early and periodic screening, diagnostic, and treatment
- 9 services healthy mental development collaborative board
- 10 regarding changes to billing procedures, codes, and eligible
- ll service providers.
- 12 ll. Of the funds appropriated in this section, a sufficient
- 13 amount is allocated to supplement the incomes of residents of
- 14 nursing facilities, intermediate care facilities for persons
- 15 with mental illness, and intermediate care facilities for
- 16 persons with an intellectual disability, with incomes of less
- 17 than \$50 in the amount necessary for the residents to receive a
- 18 personal needs allowance of \$50 per month pursuant to section
- 19 249A.30A.
- 20 12. Of the funds appropriated in this section, the following
- 21 amounts are transferred to the appropriations made in this
- 22 division of this Act for the state mental health institutes:
- a. Cherokee mental health institute..... \$ 9,098,425
- b. Clarinda mental health institute..... \$ 1,977,305
- c. Independence mental health institute..... \$ 9,045,894
- 26 13. a. Of the funds appropriated in this section,
- 27 \$8,596,650 is allocated for the state match for a
- 28 disproportionate share hospital payment of \$19,133,430 to
- 29 hospitals that meet both of the conditions specified in
- 30 subparagraphs (1) and (2). In addition, the hospitals that
- 31 meet the conditions specified shall either certify public
- 32 expenditures or transfer to the medical assistance program
- 33 an amount equal to provide the nonfederal share for a
- 34 disproportionate share hospital payment of \$7,500,000. The
- 35 hospitals that meet the conditions specified shall receive and

- 1 retain 100 percent of the total disproportionate share hospital 2 payment of \$26,633,430.
- 3 (1) The hospital qualifies for disproportionate share and 4 graduate medical education payments.
- 5 (2) The hospital is an Iowa state-owned hospital with more
- 6 than 500 beds and eight or more distinct residency specialty
- 7 or subspecialty programs recognized by the American college of 8 graduate medical education.
- 9 b. Distribution of the disproportionate share payments
- 10 shall be made on a monthly basis. The total amount of
- 11 disproportionate share payments including graduate medical
- 12 education, enhanced disproportionate share, and Iowa
- 13 state-owned teaching hospital payments shall not exceed the
- 14 amount of the state's allotment under Pub. L. No. 102-234.
- 15 In addition, the total amount of all disproportionate
- 16 share payments shall not exceed the hospital-specific
- 17 disproportionate share limits under Pub. L. No. 103-66.
- 18 c. The university of Iowa hospitals and clinics shall either
- 19 certify public expenditures or transfer to the appropriations
- 20 made in this division of this Act for medical assistance an
- 21 amount equal to provide the nonfederal share for increased
- 22 medical assistance payments for inpatient and outpatient
- 23 hospital services of \$9,900,000. The university of Iowa
- 24 hospitals and clinics shall receive and retain 100 percent of
- 25 the total increase in medical assistance payments.
- 26 d. Program payments for disproportionate share hospitals
- 27 and graduate medical education, and the upper payment limits
- 28 applicable to these programs shall be held harmless from the
- 29 impacts of Medicaid managed care and the governor's Medicaid
- 30 modernization initiative. Payment methodologies utilized
- 31 for these programs may be adjusted or converted to other
- 32 methodologies or payment types in order to comply with this
- 33 hold harmless requirement.
- 34 14. One hundred percent of the nonfederal share of payments
- 35 to area education agencies that are medical assistance

- 1 providers for medical assistance-covered services provided to
- 2 medical assistance-covered children, shall be made from the
- 3 appropriation made in this section.
- 4 15. Any new or renewed contract entered into by the
- 5 department with a third party to administer behavioral health
- 6 services under the medical assistance program shall provide
- 7 that any interest earned on payments from the state during
- 8 the state fiscal year shall be remitted to the department
- 9 and treated as recoveries to offset the costs of the medical
- 10 assistance program.
- 11 16. A portion of the funds appropriated in this section
- 12 may be transferred to the appropriation in this division of
- 13 this Act for medical contracts to be used for administrative
- 14 activities associated with the money follows the person
- 15 demonstration project.
- 16 17. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$349,011
- 17 shall be used for the administration of the health insurance
- 18 premium payment program, including salaries, support,
- 19 maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes.
- 20 18. a. The department may increase the amounts allocated
- 21 for salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes
- 22 associated with the medical assistance program, as necessary,
- 23 to implement cost containment strategies. The department shall
- 24 report any such increase to the legislative services agency and
- 25 the department of management.
- 26 b. If the savings to the medical assistance program from
- 27 cost containment efforts exceed the cost for the fiscal
- 28 year beginning July 1, 2015, the department may transfer any
- 29 savings generated for the fiscal year due to medical assistance
- 30 program cost containment efforts to the appropriation
- 31 made in this division of this Act for medical contracts or
- 32 general administration to defray the increased contract costs
- 33 associated with implementing such efforts.
- 34 c. The department of human services shall not implement
- 35 the following cost containment measures as recommended by the

1 governor for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015:

- 2 (1) A measure to provide uniform rates of \$.575 per mile
- 3 based on the 2015 Internal Revenue Service mileage rate and
- 4 of \$9.29, the current statewide average, per one-way trip for
- 5 Medicaid program home and community-based services waivers.
- 6 (2) A measure to cap the total costs of all services
- 7 received by a recipient of the home and community-based
- 8 services waiver for individuals with an intellectual disability
- 9 at the daily intermediate care facility for persons with an
- 10 intellectual disability (ICF/ID) per diem rate of \$346.39 per
- 11 day based on the 80th percentile of all ICF/ID rates.
- 12 (3) A measure to align individual requests for exceptions to
- 13 policy with the capped total cost of services for a recipient
- 14 of the home and community-based services waiver for individuals
- 15 with an intellectual disability as computed under subparagraph 16 (2).
- 17 (4) A measure to utilize the supports intensity scale
- 18 to determine payment amounts and a tiered payment system
- 19 for the services provided to adults served under the home
- 20 and community-based services waiver for individuals with an
- 21 intellectual disability.
- 22 (5) A measure to accelerate implementation of the provision
- 23 that beginning July 1, 2015, rather than July 1, 2016, the
- 24 department of human services requires services through the
- 25 consumer-directed attendant care option to be provided through
- 26 an agency or consumer choices option.
- 27 (6) A measure to reallocate funding for community-based
- 28 systems of care to instead support integrated health homes.
- 29 (7) A measure to increase the university of Iowa hospitals
- 30 and clinics state share responsibility for the supplemental
- 31 disproportionate share hospital payment to the university of
- 32 Iowa hospitals and clinics for the fiscal year beginning July
- 33 1, 2015.
- 34 d. The department shall report the implementation of
- 35 any cost containment strategies under this subsection to

- 1 the individuals specified in this division of this Act for
- 2 submission of reports on a quarterly basis.
- 3 19. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending
- 4 June 30, 2016, the replacement generation tax revenues required
- 5 to be deposited in the property tax relief fund pursuant to
- 6 section 437A.8, subsection 4, paragraph "d", and section
- 7 437A.15, subsection 3, paragraph "f", shall instead be credited
- 8 to and supplement the appropriation made in this section and
- 9 used for the allocations made in this section.
- 10 20. The department shall continue to administer the state
- 11 balancing incentive payments program as specified in 2012 Iowa
- 12 Acts, chapter 1133, section 14.
- 13 21. a. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$900,000
- 14 shall be used for continued implementation of the children's
- 15 mental health home project proposed by the department of human
- 16 services and reported to the general assembly's mental health
- 17 and disability services study committee in December 2011. Of
- 18 this amount, up to \$50,000 may be transferred by the department
- 19 to the appropriation made in this division of this Act to the
- 20 department for the same fiscal year for general administration
- 21 to be used for associated administrative expenses and for not
- 22 more than one full-time equivalent position, in addition to
- 23 those authorized for the same fiscal year, to be assigned to
- 24 implementing the project.
- 25 b. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to \$400,000
- 26 may be transferred by the department to the appropriation made
- 27 to the department in this division of this Act for the same
- 28 fiscal year for Medicaid program-related general administration
- 29 planning and implementation activities. The funds may be used
- 30 for contracts or for personnel in addition to the amounts
- 31 appropriated for and the positions authorized for general
- 32 administration for the fiscal year.
- 33 c. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to
- 34 \$3,000,000 may be transferred by the department to the
- 35 appropriations made in this division of this Act for the same

- 1 fiscal year for general administration or medical contracts
- 2 to be used to support the development and implementation of
- 3 standardized assessment tools for persons with mental illness,
- 4 an intellectual disability, a developmental disability, or a
- 5 brain injury.
- 6 22. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$250,000
- 7 shall be used for lodging expenses associated with care
- 8 provided at the university of Iowa hospitals and clinics for
- 9 patients with cancer whose travel distance is 30 miles or more
- 10 and whose income is at or below 200 percent of the federal
- 11 poverty level as defined by the most recently revised poverty
- 12 income guidelines published by the United States department of
- 13 health and human services. The department of human services
- 14 shall establish the maximum number of overnight stays and the
- 15 maximum rate reimbursed for overnight lodging, which may be
- 16 based on the state employee rate established by the department
- 17 of administrative services. The funds allocated in this
- 18 subsection shall not be used as nonfederal share matching
- 19 funds.
- 20 23. The department of human services shall adopt rules to
- 21 provide for coverage of telehealth under the Medicaid program.
- 22 The rules shall provide that in-person contact between a
- 23 health care professional and a patient is not required as a
- 24 prerequisite for payment for services appropriately provided
- 25 through telehealth in accordance with generally accepted health
- 26 care practices and standards prevailing in the applicable
- 27 professional community at the time the services are provided.
- 28 Health care services provided through in-person consultations
- 29 or through telehealth shall be treated as equivalent services
- 30 for the purposes of reimbursement.
- 31 24. a. For inpatient and outpatient services provided
- 32 by hospitals on or after July 1, 2015, the department of
- 33 human services shall recalculate and prospectively apply an
- 34 updated cost-to-charge ratio upon the request of a hospital to
- 35 implement price or charge reductions, if all of the following

1 criteria are met:

- 2 (1) The recalculation of an updated cost-to-charge ratio is 3 budget neutral to the state funding amount appropriated for the
- 4 respective fiscal year and maintains budget neutral payments or
- 5 revenue to all hospitals.
- 6 (2) The hospital requesting the price or charge reduction
- 7 submits a proforma cost report and charge master that reflects
- 8 the anticipated cost-to-charge reduction.
- 9 b. Based upon the proforma cost report submitted by the
- 10 requesting hospital, the department of human services shall
- 11 prospectively apply the recalculated cost-to-charge ratio as
- 12 appropriate to submitted claims for health care services.
- 13 25. The department of human services shall not adopt
- 14 emergency rules to implement Medicaid managed care or the
- 15 governor's Medicaid modernization initiative on or after July
- 16 1, 2015.
- 17 26. The number of home and community-based services waiver
- 18 slots available during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
- 19 shall not be reduced below the number of such slots available
- 20 on January 1, 2015.
- 21 Sec. 13. MEDICAL CONTRACTS. There is appropriated from the
- 22 general fund of the state to the department of human services
- 23 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30,
- 24 2016, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
- 25 to be used for the purpose designated:
- 26 For medical contracts:
- 27 \$ 22,153,584
- 28 1. The department of inspections and appeals shall
- 29 provide all state matching funds for survey and certification
- 30 activities performed by the department of inspections
- 31 and appeals. The department of human services is solely
- 32 responsible for distributing the federal matching funds for
- 33 such activities.
- 34 2. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$50,000 shall
- 35 be used for continuation of home and community-based services

- 1 waiver quality assurance programs, including the review and
- 2 streamlining of processes and policies related to oversight and
- 3 quality management to meet state and federal requirements.
- 4 3. Of the amount appropriated in this section, up to
- 5 \$200,000 may be transferred to the appropriation for general
- 6 administration in this division of this Act to be used for
- 7 additional full-time equivalent positions in the development of
- 8 key health initiatives such as cost containment, development
- 9 and oversight of managed care programs, and development of
- 10 health strategies targeted toward improved quality and reduced
- ll costs in the Medicaid program.
- 12 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$1,000,000
- 13 shall be used for planning and development, in cooperation with
- 14 the department of public health, of a phased-in program to
- 15 provide a dental home for children.
- 16 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$2,000,000
- 17 shall be used for the autism support program created in chapter
- 18 225D.
- 19 Sec. 14. STATE SUPPLEMENTARY ASSISTANCE.
- 20 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 21 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 22 beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following
- 23 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 24 purpose designated:
- 25 For the state supplementary assistance program:
- 26 \$12,997,187
- 27 2. The department shall increase the personal needs
- 28 allowance for residents of residential care facilities by the
- 29 same percentage and at the same time as federal supplemental
- 30 security income and federal social security benefits are
- 31 increased due to a recognized increase in the cost of living.
- 32 The department may adopt emergency rules to implement this
- 33 subsection.
- 34 3. If during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
- 35 the department projects that state supplementary assistance

- 1 expenditures for a calendar year will not meet the federal
- 2 pass-through requirement specified in Tit. XVI of the federal
- 3 Social Security Act, section 1618, as codified in 42 U.S.C.
- 4 §1382g, the department may take actions including but not
- 5 limited to increasing the personal needs allowance for
- 6 residential care facility residents and making programmatic
- 7 adjustments or upward adjustments of the residential care
- 8 facility or in-home health-related care reimbursement rates
- 9 prescribed in this division of this Act to ensure that federal
- 10 requirements are met. In addition, the department may make
- 11 other programmatic and rate adjustments necessary to remain
- 12 within the amount appropriated in this section while ensuring
- 13 compliance with federal requirements. The department may adopt
- 14 emergency rules to implement the provisions of this subsection.
- 15 Sec. 15. CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM.
- 16 l. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 17 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 18 beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following
- 19 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 20 purpose designated:
- 21 For maintenance of the healthy and well kids in Iowa (hawk-i)
- 22 program pursuant to chapter 514I, including supplemental dental
- 23 services, for receipt of federal financial participation under
- 24 Tit. XXI of the federal Social Security Act, which creates the
- 25 children's health insurance program:
- 26 \$ 21,163,844
- 27 2. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$42,800 is
- 28 allocated for continuation of the contract for outreach with
- 29 the department of public health.
- 30 Sec. 16. CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE. There is appropriated
- 31 from the general fund of the state to the department of human
- 32 services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending
- 33 June 30, 2016, the following amount, or so much thereof as is
- 34 necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:
- 35 For child care programs:

1 \$ 56,638,030

- Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$48,818,603
- 3 shall be used for state child care assistance in accordance
- 4 with section 237A.13.
- 5 2. Nothing in this section shall be construed or is
- 6 intended as or shall imply a grant of entitlement for services
- 7 to persons who are eligible for assistance due to an income
- 8 level consistent with the waiting list requirements of section
- 9 237A.13. Any state obligation to provide services pursuant to
- 10 this section is limited to the extent of the funds appropriated
- ll in this section.
- 3. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$432,453
- 13 is allocated for the statewide grant program for child care
- 14 resource and referral services under section 237A.26. A list
- 15 of the registered and licensed child care facilities operating
- 16 in the area served by a child care resource and referral
- 17 service shall be made available to the families receiving state
- 18 child care assistance in that area.
- 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$936,974
- 20 is allocated for child care quality improvement initiatives
- 21 including but not limited to the voluntary quality rating
- 22 system in accordance with section 237A.30.
- 23 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$6,350,000
- 24 shall be credited to the early childhood programs grants
- 25 account in the early childhood Iowa fund created in section
- 26 256I.ll. The moneys shall be distributed for funding of
- 27 community-based early childhood programs targeted to children
- 28 from birth through five years of age developed by early
- 29 childhood Iowa areas in accordance with approved community
- 30 plans as provided in section 2561.8.
- 31 6. The department may use any of the funds appropriated
- 32 in this section as a match to obtain federal funds for use in
- 33 expanding child care assistance and related programs. For
- 34 the purpose of expenditures of state and federal child care
- 35 funding, funds shall be considered obligated at the time

- 1 expenditures are projected or are allocated to the department's
- 2 service areas. Projections shall be based on current and
- 3 projected caseload growth, current and projected provider
- 4 rates, staffing requirements for eligibility determination
- 5 and management of program requirements including data systems
- 6 management, staffing requirements for administration of the
- 7 program, contractual and grant obligations and any transfers
- 8 to other state agencies, and obligations for decategorization
- 9 or innovation projects.
- 10 7. A portion of the state match for the federal child care
- 11 and development block grant shall be provided as necessary to
- 12 meet federal matching funds requirements through the state
- 13 general fund appropriation made for child development grants
- 14 and other programs for at-risk children in section 279.51.
- 15 8. If a uniform reduction ordered by the governor under
- 16 section 8.31 or other operation of law, transfer, or federal
- 17 funding reduction reduces the appropriation made in this
- 18 section for the fiscal year, the percentage reduction in the
- 19 amount paid out to or on behalf of the families participating
- 20 in the state child care assistance program shall be equal to or
- 21 less than the percentage reduction made for any other purpose
- 22 payable from the appropriation made in this section and the
- 23 federal funding relating to it. The percentage reduction to
- 24 the other allocations made in this section shall be the same as
- 25 the uniform reduction ordered by the governor or the percentage
- 26 change of the federal funding reduction, as applicable.
- 27 If there is an unanticipated increase in federal funding
- 28 provided for state child care assistance, the entire amount
- 29 of the increase shall be used for state child care assistance
- 30 payments. If the appropriations made for purposes of the
- 31 state child care assistance program for the fiscal year are
- 32 determined to be insufficient, it is the intent of the general
- 33 assembly to appropriate sufficient funding for the fiscal year
- 34 in order to avoid establishment of waiting list requirements.
- 35 9. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys advanced for

- 1 purposes of the programs developed by early childhood Iowa
- 2 areas, advanced for purposes of wraparound child care, or
- 3 received from the federal appropriations made for the purposes
- 4 of this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
- 5 close of the fiscal year shall not revert to any fund but shall
- 6 remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated
- 7 until the close of the succeeding fiscal year.
- 8 10. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$100,000
- 9 is transferred to the department of public health to be used
- 10 to continue a program to assist parents in this state with
- 11 costs resulting from the death of a child in accordance with
- 12 this subsection. If it is less costly than administering the
- 13 program directly, the department shall issue a request for
- 14 proposals and issue a grant to an appropriate organization to
- 15 administer the program.
- 16 a. The program funding shall be used to assist parents who
- 17 reside in this state with costs incurred for a funeral, burial
- 18 or cremation, cemetery costs, or grave marker costs associated
- 19 with the unintended death of a child of the parent or a child
- 20 under the care of a guardian or custodian. The department
- 21 shall consider the following eligibility factors in developing
- 22 program requirements:
- 23 (1) The child was a stillborn infant or was less than age
- 24 eighteen at the time of death.
- 25 (2) The request for assistance was approved by the local
- 26 board or department of health or the county general assistance
- 27 director and may have been referred by a local funeral home.
- 28 (3) To be eligible, the parent, guardian, or custodian must
- 29 have an annual household income that is less than 145 percent
- 30 of the federal poverty level based on the number of people
- 31 in the applicant's household as defined by the most recently
- 32 revised poverty income guidelines published by the United
- 33 States department of health and human services.
- 34 (4) The maximum amount of grant assistance provided to a
- 35 parent, guardian, or custodian associated with the death of

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1	a child is \$2,000. If the death is a multiple death and the
2	infants or children are being cremated, or buried together, the
3	same limitation applies.
4	(5) To the extent the overall amount of assistance received
5	by a recipient for the costs addressed under this subsection
6	does not exceed the overall total of the costs, the recipient
7	may receive other public or private assistance in addition to
8	grant assistance under this section.
9	b. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys transferred by this
10	subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
11	of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain available
12	for expenditure for the purposes designated until expended.
13	Sec. 17. JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS. There is appropriated
14	from the general fund of the state to the department of human
15	services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending
16	June 30, 2016, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
17	necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:
18	1. For the costs of security, building and grounds
19	maintenance, utilities, salary, and support for the facilities
20	located at the Iowa juvenile home at Toledo and for salaries,
21	support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not
22	more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
23	\$ 372,766
24	FTEs 2.00
25	2. For operation of the state training school at Eldora and
26	for salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes,
27	and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
28	positions:
29	\$ 12,445,552

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35 at each institution as determined by the department.

Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$91,150 shall

32 be used for distribution to licensed classroom teachers at this 33 and other institutions under the control of the department of 34 human services based upon the average student yearly enrollment

- 1 Sec. 18. CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES.
- 2 l. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 3 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 4 beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following
- 5 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 6 purpose designated:
- 7 For child and family services:
- 8 \$ 98,182,179
- 9 2. Up to \$5,200,000 of the amount of federal temporary
- 10 assistance for needy families block grant funding appropriated
- ll in this division of this Act for child and family services
- 12 shall be made available for purposes of juvenile delinquent
- 13 graduated sanction services.
- 14 3. The department may transfer funds appropriated in this
- 15 section as necessary to pay the nonfederal costs of services
- 16 reimbursed under the medical assistance program, state child
- 17 care assistance program, or the family investment program which
- 18 are provided to children who would otherwise receive services
- 19 paid under the appropriation in this section. The department
- 20 may transfer funds appropriated in this section to the
- 21 appropriations made in this division of this Act for general
- 22 administration and for field operations for resources necessary
- 23 to implement and operate the services funded in this section.
- 24 4. a. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to
- 25 \$35,821,786 is allocated as the statewide expenditure target
- 26 under section 232.143 for group foster care maintenance and
- 27 services. If the department projects that such expenditures
- 28 for the fiscal year will be less than the target amount
- 29 allocated in this paragraph "a", the department may reallocate
- 30 the excess to provide additional funding for shelter care
- 31 or the child welfare emergency services addressed with the
- 32 allocation for shelter care.
- 33 b. If at any time after September 30, 2015, annualization
- 34 of a service area's current expenditures indicates a service
- 35 area is at risk of exceeding its group foster care expenditure

- 1 target under section 232.143 by more than 5 percent, the
- 2 department and juvenile court services shall examine all
- 3 group foster care placements in that service area in order to
- 4 identify those which might be appropriate for termination.
- 5 In addition, any aftercare services believed to be needed
- 6 for the children whose placements may be terminated shall be
- 7 identified. The department and juvenile court services shall
- 8 initiate action to set dispositional review hearings for the
- 9 placements identified. In such a dispositional review hearing,
- 10 the juvenile court shall determine whether needed aftercare
- 11 services are available and whether termination of the placement
- 12 is in the best interest of the child and the community.
- 13 5. In accordance with the provisions of section 232.188,
- 14 the department shall continue the child welfare and juvenile
- 15 justice funding initiative during fiscal year 2015-2016. Of
- 16 the funds appropriated in this section, \$1,717,753 is allocated
- 17 specifically for expenditure for fiscal year 2015-2016 through
- 18 the decategorization services funding pools and governance
- 19 boards established pursuant to section 232.188.
- 20 6. A portion of the funds appropriated in this section
- 21 may be used for emergency family assistance to provide other
- 22 resources required for a family participating in a family
- 23 preservation or reunification project or successor project to
- 24 stay together or to be reunified.
- 25 7. Notwithstanding section 234.35 or any other provision
- 26 of law to the contrary, state funding for shelter care and
- 27 the child welfare emergency services contracting implemented
- 28 to provide for or prevent the need for shelter care shall be
- 29 limited to \$8,068,474.
- 30 8. Federal funds received by the state during the fiscal
- 31 year beginning July 1, 2015, as the result of the expenditure
- 32 of state funds appropriated during a previous state fiscal
- 33 year for a service or activity funded under this section are
- 34 appropriated to the department to be used as additional funding
- 35 for services and purposes provided for under this section.

- 1 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys received in accordance
- 2 with this subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at
- 3 the close of the fiscal year shall not revert to any fund but
- 4 shall remain available for the purposes designated until the
- 5 close of the succeeding fiscal year.
- 6 9. a. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to
- 7 \$3,290,000 is allocated for the payment of the expenses of
- 8 court-ordered services provided to juveniles who are under the
- 9 supervision of juvenile court services, which expenses are a
- 10 charge upon the state pursuant to section 232.141, subsection
- 11 4. Of the amount allocated in this paragraph "a", up to
- 12 \$1,556,287 shall be made available to provide school-based
- 13 supervision of children adjudicated under chapter 232, of which
- 14 not more than \$15,000 may be used for the purpose of training.
- 15 A portion of the cost of each school-based liaison officer
- 16 shall be paid by the school district or other funding source as
- 17 approved by the chief juvenile court officer.
- 18 b. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to \$748,985
- 19 is allocated for the payment of the expenses of court-ordered
- 20 services provided to children who are under the supervision
- 21 of the department, which expenses are a charge upon the state
- 22 pursuant to section 232.141, subsection 4.
- 23 c. Notwithstanding section 232.141 or any other provision
- 24 of law to the contrary, the amounts allocated in this
- 25 subsection shall be distributed to the judicial districts
- 26 as determined by the state court administrator and to the
- 27 department's service areas as determined by the administrator
- 28 of the department of human services' division of child and
- 29 family services. The state court administrator and the
- 30 division administrator shall make the determination of the
- 31 distribution amounts on or before June 15, 2015.
- 32 d. Notwithstanding chapter 232 or any other provision of
- 33 law to the contrary, a district or juvenile court shall not
- 34 order any service which is a charge upon the state pursuant
- 35 to section 232.141 if there are insufficient court-ordered

1 services funds available in the district court or departmental

- 2 service area distribution amounts to pay for the service. The
- 3 chief juvenile court officer and the departmental service area
- 4 manager shall encourage use of the funds allocated in this
- 5 subsection such that there are sufficient funds to pay for
- 6 all court-related services during the entire year. The chief
- 7 juvenile court officers and departmental service area managers
- 8 shall attempt to anticipate potential surpluses and shortfalls
- 9 in the distribution amounts and shall cooperatively request the
- 10 state court administrator or division administrator to transfer
- 11 funds between the judicial districts' or departmental service
- 12 areas' distribution amounts as prudent.
- e. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary,
- 14 a district or juvenile court shall not order a county to pay
- 15 for any service provided to a juvenile pursuant to an order
- 16 entered under chapter 232 which is a charge upon the state
- 17 under section 232.141, subsection 4.
- 18 f. Of the funds allocated in this subsection, not more than
- 19 \$83,000 may be used by the judicial branch for administration
- 20 of the requirements under this subsection.
- 21 q. Of the funds allocated in this subsection, \$17,000
- 22 shall be used by the department of human services to support
- 23 the interstate commission for juveniles in accordance with
- 24 the interstate compact for juveniles as provided in section
- 25 232.173.
- 26 10. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$8,053,227 is
- 27 allocated for juvenile delinquent graduated sanctions services.
- 28 Any state funds saved as a result of efforts by juvenile court
- 29 services to earn a federal Tit. IV-E match for juvenile court
- 30 services administration may be used for the juvenile delinquent
- 31 graduated sanctions services.
- 32 11. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$1,608,285 is
- 33 transferred to the department of public health to be used for
- 34 the child protection center grant program for child protection
- 35 centers located in Iowa in accordance with section 135.118.

- 1 The grant amounts under the program shall be equalized so that
- 2 each center receives a uniform base amount of \$245,000, and
- 3 the remaining funds shall be awarded through a funding formula
- 4 based upon the volume of children served.
- 5 12. If the department receives federal approval to
- 6 implement a waiver under Tit. IV-E of the federal Social
- 7 Security Act to enable providers to serve children who remain
- 8 in the children's families and communities, for purposes of
- 9 eligibility under the medical assistance program through 25
- 10 years of age, children who participate in the waiver shall be
- 11 considered to be placed in foster care.
- 12 13. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$4,025,167 is
- 13 allocated for the preparation for adult living program pursuant
- 14 to section 234.46.
- 15 14. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$520,150
- 16 shall be used for juvenile drug courts. The amount allocated
- 17 in this subsection shall be distributed as follows:
- 18 To the judicial branch for salaries to assist with the
- 19 operation of juvenile drug court programs operated in the
- 20 following jurisdictions:
- 21 a. Marshall county:
- 22 \$ 62,708
- 23 b. Woodbury county:
- 24 \$ 125,682
- 25 c. Polk county:
- 26 \$ 195,892
- 27 d. The third judicial district:
- 28 \$ 67,934
- 29 e. The eighth judicial district:
- 30 \$ 67,934
- 31 15. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$227,337
- 32 shall be used for the public purpose of continuing a grant to
- 33 a nonprofit human services organization providing services to
- 34 individuals and families in multiple locations in southwest
- 35 Iowa and Nebraska for support of a project providing immediate,

- 1 sensitive support and forensic interviews, medical exams, needs
- 2 assessments, and referrals for victims of child abuse and their
- 3 nonoffending family members.
- 4 16. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$300,620
- 5 is allocated for the foster care youth council approach of
- 6 providing a support network to children placed in foster care.
- 7 17. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$202,000 is
- 8 allocated for use pursuant to section 235A.1 for continuation
- 9 of the initiative to address child sexual abuse implemented
- 10 pursuant to 2007 Iowa Acts, chapter 218, section 18, subsection 11 21.
- 12 18. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$630,240 is
- 13 allocated for the community partnership for child protection
- 14 sites.
- 15 19. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$371,250
- 16 is allocated for the department's minority youth and family
- 17 projects under the redesign of the child welfare system.
- 18 20. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$1,186,595
- 19 is allocated for funding of the community circle of care
- 20 collaboration for children and youth in northeast Iowa.
- 21 21. Of the funds appropriated in this section, at least
- 22 \$147,158 shall be used for the continuation of the child
- 23 welfare provider training academy, a collaboration between the
- 24 coalition for family and children's services in Iowa and the
- 25 department.
- 26 22. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$25,000
- 27 shall be used for the public purpose of continuation of a
- 28 grant to a child welfare services provider headquartered in a
- 29 county with a population between 205,000 and 215,000 in the
- 30 latest certified federal census that provides multiple services
- 31 including but not limited to a psychiatric medical institution
- 32 for children, shelter, residential treatment, after school
- 33 programs, school-based programming, and an Asperger's syndrome
- 34 program, to be used for support services for children with
- 35 autism spectrum disorder and their families.

- 1 23. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$25,000
- 2 shall be used for the public purpose of continuing a grant to
- 3 a hospital-based provider headquartered in a county with a
- 4 population between 90,000 and 95,000 in the latest certified
- 5 federal census that provides multiple services including
- 6 but not limited to diagnostic, therapeutic, and behavioral
- 7 services to individuals with autism spectrum disorder across
- 8 one's lifespan. The grant recipient shall utilize the funds
- 9 to continue the pilot project to determine the necessary
- 10 support services for children with autism spectrum disorder and
- ll their families to be included in the children's disabilities
- 12 services system. The grant recipient shall submit findings and
- 13 recommendations based upon the results of the pilot project
- 14 to the individuals specified in this division of this Act for
- 15 submission of reports by December 31, 2015.
- 16 24. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$211,872
- 17 shall be used for continuation of the central Iowa system of
- 18 care program grant through June 30, 2016.
- 19 25. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$250,000
- 20 shall be used for the public purpose of the continuation
- 21 and expansion of a system of care program grant implemented
- 22 in Cerro Gordo and Linn counties to utilize a comprehensive
- 23 and long-term approach for helping children and families by
- 24 addressing the key areas in a child's life of childhood basic
- 25 needs, education and work, family, and community.
- 26. Of the funds appropriated in this section, at least
- 27 \$25,000 shall be used to continue and to expand the foster
- 28 care respite pilot program in which postsecondary students in
- 29 social work and other human services-related programs receive
- 30 experience by assisting family foster care providers with
- 31 respite and other support.
- 32 27. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$110,000
- 33 shall be used for the public purpose of funding community-based
- 34 services and other supports with a system of care approach
- 35 for children with a serious emotional disturbance and their

- 1 families through a nonprofit provider of child welfare services
- 2 that has been in existence for more than 115 years, is located
- 3 in a county with a population of more than 200,000 but less
- 4 than 220,000 according to the latest census information
- 5 issued by the United States census bureau, is licensed as a
- 6 psychiatric medical institution for children, and was a system
- 7 of care grantee prior to July 1, 2015.
- 8 Sec. 19. ADOPTION SUBSIDY.
- 9 l. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 10 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 11 beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following
- 12 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 13 purpose designated:
- 14 For adoption subsidy payments and services:
- 15 \$ 42,998,286
- 16 2. The department may transfer funds appropriated in
- 17 this section to the appropriation made in this division of
- 18 this Act for general administration for costs paid from the
- 19 appropriation relating to adoption subsidy.
- 3. Federal funds received by the state during the
- 21 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, as the result of the
- 22 expenditure of state funds during a previous state fiscal
- 23 year for a service or activity funded under this section are
- 24 appropriated to the department to be used as additional funding
- 25 for the services and activities funded under this section.
- 26 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys received in accordance
- 27 with this subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated
- 28 at the close of the fiscal year shall not revert to any fund
- 29 but shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes
- 30 designated until the close of the succeeding fiscal year.
- 31 Sec. 20. JUVENILE DETENTION HOME FUND. Moneys deposited
- 32 in the juvenile detention home fund created in section 232.142
- 33 during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June
- 34 30, 2016, are appropriated to the department of human services
- 35 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30,

- 1 2016, for distribution of an amount equal to a percentage of
- 2 the costs of the establishment, improvement, operation, and
- 3 maintenance of county or multicounty juvenile detention homes
- 4 in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014. Moneys appropriated
- 5 for distribution in accordance with this section shall be
- 6 allocated among eligible detention homes, prorated on the basis
- 7 of an eligible detention home's proportion of the costs of all
- 8 eligible detention homes in the fiscal year beginning July
- 9 1, 2014. The percentage figure shall be determined by the
- 10 department based on the amount available for distribution for
- 11 the fund. Notwithstanding section 232.142, subsection 3, the
- 12 financial aid payable by the state under that provision for the
- 13 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, shall be limited to the
- 14 amount appropriated for the purposes of this section.
- 15 Sec. 21. FAMILY SUPPORT SUBSIDY PROGRAM.
- 16 l. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 17 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 18 beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following
- 19 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 20 purpose designated:
- 21 For the family support subsidy program subject to the
- 22 enrollment restrictions in section 225C.37, subsection 3:
- 23 \$ 1,073,932
- 24 2. The department shall use at least \$641,500 of the moneys
- 25 appropriated in this section for the family support center
- 26 component of the comprehensive family support program under
- 27 section 225C.47. Not more than \$25,000 of the amount allocated
- 28 in this subsection shall be used for administrative costs.
- 29 3. If at any time during the fiscal year, the amount of
- 30 funding available for the family support subsidy program
- 31 is reduced from the amount initially used to establish the
- 32 figure for the number of family members for whom a subsidy
- 33 is to be provided at any one time during the fiscal year,
- 34 notwithstanding section 225C.38, subsection 2, the department
- 35 shall revise the figure as necessary to conform to the amount

1	of funding available.
2	Sec. 22. CONNER DECREE. There is appropriated from the
3	general fund of the state to the department of human services
4	for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30,
5	2016, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
6	to be used for the purpose designated:
7	For building community capacity through the coordination
8	and provision of training opportunities in accordance with the
9	consent decree of Conner v. Branstad, No. 4-86-CV-30871(S.D.
10	Iowa, July 14, 1994):
11	\$ 33,632
12	Sec. 23. MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTES. There is appropriated
13	from the general fund of the state to the department of human
14	services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending
15	June 30, 2016, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
16	necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:
17	1. For the state mental health institute at Cherokee for
18	salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and
19	for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
20	\$ 5,545,616
21	FTEs 169.20
22	2. For the state mental health institute at Clarinda for
23	salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and
24	for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
25	\$ 1,812,899
26	FTES 86.10
27	3. For the state mental health institute at Independence for
28	salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and
29	for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
30	\$ 10,390,773
31	FTEs 233.00
32	Sec. 24. STATE RESOURCE CENTERS.
33	1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
34	state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
35	beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following

1 amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the

- 2 purposes designated:
- 3 a. For the state resource center at Glenwood for salaries,
- 4 support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
- 5 \$ 22,024,482
- 6 b. For the state resource center at Woodward for salaries,
- 7 support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
- 8 \$ 14,933,806
- 9 2. The department may continue to bill for state resource
- 10 center services utilizing a scope of services approach used for
- ll private providers of intermediate care facilities for persons
- 12 with an intellectual disability services, in a manner which
- 13 does not shift costs between the medical assistance program,
- 14 counties, or other sources of funding for the state resource
- 15 centers.
- 16 3. The state resource centers may expand the time-limited
- 17 assessment and respite services during the fiscal year.
- 18 4. If the department's administration and the department
- 19 of management concur with a finding by a state resource
- 20 center's superintendent that projected revenues can reasonably
- 21 be expected to pay the salary and support costs for a new
- 22 employee position, or that such costs for adding a particular
- 23 number of new positions for the fiscal year would be less
- 24 than the overtime costs if new positions would not be added,
- 25 the superintendent may add the new position or positions. If
- 26 the vacant positions available to a resource center do not
- 27 include the position classification desired to be filled, the
- 28 state resource center's superintendent may reclassify any
- 29 vacant position as necessary to fill the desired position. The
- 30 superintendents of the state resource centers may, by mutual
- 31 agreement, pool vacant positions and position classifications
- 32 during the course of the fiscal year in order to assist one
- 33 another in filling necessary positions.
- 34 5. If existing capacity limitations are reached in
- 35 operating units, a waiting list is in effect for a service or

- 1 a special need for which a payment source or other funding
- 2 is available for the service or to address the special need,
- 3 and facilities for the service or to address the special need
- 4 can be provided within the available payment source or other
- 5 funding, the superintendent of a state resource center may
- 6 authorize opening not more than two units or other facilities
- 7 and begin implementing the service or addressing the special
- 8 need during fiscal year 2015-2016.
- 9 Sec. 25. SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATORS.
- 10 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 11 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 12 beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following
- 13 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 14 purpose designated:
- 15 For costs associated with the commitment and treatment of
- 16 sexually violent predators in the unit located at the state
- 17 mental health institute at Cherokee, including costs of legal
- 18 services and other associated costs, including salaries,
- 19 support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not
- 20 more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 21 \$ 9,893,079
- 22 FTEs 132.50
- 23 2. Unless specifically prohibited by law, if the amount
- 24 charged provides for recoupment of at least the entire amount
- 25 of direct and indirect costs, the department of human services
- 26 may contract with other states to provide care and treatment
- 27 of persons placed by the other states at the unit for sexually
- 28 violent predators at Cherokee. The moneys received under
- 29 such a contract shall be considered to be repayment receipts
- 30 and used for the purposes of the appropriation made in this
- 31 section.
- 32 Sec. 26. FIELD OPERATIONS. There is appropriated from the
- 33 general fund of the state to the department of human services
- 34 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30,
- 35 2016, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,

1	to be used for the purposes designated:
2	For field operations, including salaries, support,
3	maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
4	the following full-time equivalent positions:
5	\$ 58,920,976
6	FTEs 1,837.00
7	1. As a condition of this appropriation, the department
8	shall make every possible effort to fill the entire number of
9	positions authorized by this section and, unless specifically
10	provided otherwise by an applicable collective bargaining
11	agreement, the department is not subject to any approval
12	requirement external to the department to fill a field
13	operations vacancy within the number of full-time equivalent
14	positions authorized by this section. The department shall
15	report on the first of each month to the chairpersons and
16	ranking members of the appropriations committees of the senate
17	and house of representatives, and the persons designated by
18	this Act for submission of reports concerning the status of
19	filling the positions.
20	2. Priority in filling full-time equivalent positions
21	shall be given to those positions related to child protection
22	services and eligibility determination for low-income families.
23	Sec. 27. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION. There is appropriated
24	from the general fund of the state to the department of human
25	services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending
26	June 30, 2016, the following amount, or so much thereof as is
27	necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:
28	For general administration, including salaries, support,
29	maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
30	the following full-time equivalent positions:
31	\$ 15,161,741
32	FTEs 309.00
33	1. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$38,543 is
34	allocated for the prevention of disabilities policy council
35	created in section 225B.103, if enacted in this Act.

- 2. The department shall report at least monthly to the
- 2 legislative services agency concerning the department's
- 3 operational and program expenditures.
- 4 3. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$150,000 shall
- 5 be used to continue the contract for the provision of a program
- 6 to provide technical assistance, support, and consultation to
- 7 providers of habilitation services and home and community-based
- 8 services waiver services for adults with disabilities under the
- 9 medical assistance program.
- 10 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$50,000
- ll is transferred to the Iowa finance authority to be used
- 12 for administrative support of the council on homelessness
- 13 established in section 16.2D and for the council to fulfill its
- 14 duties in addressing and reducing homelessness in the state.
- 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$250,000
- 16 is allocated to an Iowa food bank association selected by
- 17 the department for the purchase of food on behalf of an Iowa
- 18 emergency feeding organization or for the distribution of
- 19 moneys to the Iowa emergency feeding organization for the
- 20 purchase of food. The moneys allocated in this subsection
- 21 shall be allocated only to the extent that the allocated moneys
- 22 are matched on a dollar-for-dollar basis. Notwithstanding
- 23 section 8.33, moneys allocated in this subsection that remain
- 24 unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year
- 25 shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for
- 26 the purposes designated until the close of the following fiscal
- 27 year.
- 28 6. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$250,000
- 29 shall be transferred to and deposited in the administrative
- 30 fund of the Iowa ABLE savings plan trust created in section
- 31 12I.4, if enacted in this Act, to be used for implementation
- 32 and administration activities of the Iowa ABLE savings plan
- 33 trust. Such activities may include the funding of a program
- 34 manager position, the issuance of a request for proposals,
- 35 and creation of an informational internet site, but shall not

- 1 include funding for marketing. The appropriation made in this
- 2 section is deemed to meet the requirement in the section of
- 3 the division of this Act, if enacted, relating to contingent
- 4 implementation of chapter 12I.
- 5 Sec. 28. VOLUNTEERS. There is appropriated from the general
- 6 fund of the state to the department of human services for the
- 7 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016,
- 8 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
- 9 used for the purpose designated:
- 10 For development and coordination of volunteer services:
- 11 \$ 84,686
- 12 Sec. 29. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, STATE SUPPLEMENTARY
- 13 ASSISTANCE, AND SOCIAL SERVICE PROVIDERS REIMBURSED UNDER THE
- 14 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.
- 15 1. a. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
- 16 the total state funding amount for the nursing facility budget
- 17 shall not exceed \$321,900,006.
- 18 (2) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 19 department shall rebase case-mix nursing facility rates
- 20 effective July 1, 2015. However, total nursing facility budget
- 21 expenditures, including both case-mix and noncase-mix, shall
- 22 not exceed the amount specified in subparagraph (1). When
- 23 calculating case-mix per diem cost and the patient-day-weighted
- 24 medians used in rate-setting for nursing facilities effective
- 25 July 1, 2015, the inflation factor applied from the midpoint
- 26 of the cost report period to the first day of the state fiscal
- 27 year rate period shall be adjusted to maintain state funding
- 28 within the amount specified in subparagraph (1).
- 29 (3) The department, in cooperation with nursing facility
- 30 representatives, shall review projections for state funding
- 31 expenditures for reimbursement of nursing facilities on a
- 32 quarterly basis and the department shall determine if an
- 33 adjustment to the medical assistance reimbursement rate is
- 34 necessary in order to provide reimbursement within the state
- 35 funding amount for the fiscal year. Notwithstanding 2001

- 1 Iowa Acts, chapter 192, section 4, subsection 2, paragraph
- 2 "c", and subsection 3, paragraph "a", subparagraph (2),
- 3 if the state funding expenditures for the nursing facility
- 4 budget for the fiscal year are projected to exceed the amount
- 5 specified in subparagraph (1), the department shall adjust
- 6 the reimbursement for nursing facilities reimbursed under the
- 7 case-mix reimbursement system to maintain expenditures of the
- 8 nursing facility budget within the specified amount for the
- 9 fiscal year.
- 10 (4) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, special
- 11 population nursing facilities shall be reimbursed in accordance
- 12 with the methodology in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 13 (5) For any open or unsettled nursing facility cost report
- 14 for a fiscal year prior to and including the fiscal year
- 15 beginning July 1, 2014, including any cost report remanded on
- 16 judicial review for inclusion of prescription drug, laboratory,
- 17 or x-ray costs, the department shall offset all reported
- 18 prescription drug, laboratory, and x-ray costs with any revenue
- 19 received from Medicare or other revenue source for any purpose.
- 20 For purposes of this subparagraph, a nursing facility cost
- 21 report is not considered open or unsettled if the facility did
- 22 not initiate an administrative appeal under chapter 17A or if
- 23 any appeal rights initiated have been exhausted.
- 24 b. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
- 25 the department shall establish the pharmacy dispensing fee
- 26 reimbursement at \$11.73 per prescription as determined by the
- 27 June 2014 cost of dispensing fee survey.
- 28 (2) The department shall utilize an average acquisition
- 29 cost reimbursement methodology for all drugs covered under the
- 30 medical assistance program in accordance with 2012 Iowa Acts,
- 31 chapter 1133, section 33.
- 32 (3) Notwithstanding subparagraph (2), if the centers for
- 33 Medicare and Medicaid services of the United States department
- 34 of health and human services (CMS) requires, as a condition
- 35 of federal Medicaid funding, that the department implement an

- 1 aggregate federal upper limit (FUL) for drug reimbursement
- 2 based on the average manufacturer's price (AMP), the department
- 3 may utilize a reimbursement methodology for all drugs covered
- 4 under the Medicaid program based on the national average drug
- 5 acquisition cost (NADAC) methodology published by CMS, in order
- 6 to assure compliance with the aggregate FUL, minimize outcomes
- 7 of drug reimbursements below pharmacy acquisition costs, limit
- 8 administrative costs, and minimize any change in the aggregate
- 9 reimbursement for drugs. The department may adopt emergency
- 10 rules to implement this subparagraph.
- 11 c. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
- 12 reimbursement rates for outpatient hospital services shall
- 13 remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2015, subject
- 14 to Medicaid program upper payment limit rules and adjusted
- 15 as necessary to maintain expenditures within the amount
- 16 appropriated to the department for this purpose for the fiscal 17 year.
- 18 (2) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
- 19 reimbursement rates for inpatient hospital services shall be
- 20 rebased effective October 1, 2015, subject to Medicaid program
- 21 upper payment limit rules and adjusted as necessary to maintain
- 22 expenditures within the amount appropriated to the department
- 23 for this purpose for the fiscal year.
- 24 (3) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the graduate
- 25 medical education and disproportionate share hospital fund
- 26 shall remain at the amount in effect on June 30, 2015, except
- 27 that the portion of the fund attributable to graduate medical
- 28 education shall be reduced in an amount that reflects the
- 29 elimination of graduate medical education payments made to
- 30 out-of-state hospitals.
- 31 (4) In order to ensure the efficient use of limited state
- 32 funds in procuring health care services for low-income Iowans,
- 33 funds appropriated in this Act for hospital services shall
- 34 not be used for activities which would be excluded from a
- 35 determination of reasonable costs under the federal Medicare

- 1 program pursuant to 42 U.S.C. \$1395x(v)(1)(N).
- d. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, reimbursement
- 3 rates for rural health clinics, hospices, and acute mental
- 4 hospitals shall be increased in accordance with increases under
- 5 the federal Medicare program or as supported by their Medicare
- 6 audited costs.
- 7 e. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, independent
- 8 laboratories and rehabilitation agencies shall be reimbursed
- 9 using the same methodology in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 10 f. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
- 11 reimbursement rates for home health agencies shall continue to
- 12 be based on the Medicare low utilization payment adjustment
- 13 (LUPA) methodology with state geographic wage adjustments, and
- 14 updated to reflect the most recent Medicare LUPA rates.
- 15 (2) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, rates for
- 16 private duty nursing and personal care services under the early
- 17 and periodic screening, diagnostic, and treatment program
- 18 benefit shall be calculated based on the methodology in effect
- 19 on June 30, 2015.
- 20 g. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, federally
- 21 qualified health centers shall receive cost-based reimbursement
- 22 for 100 percent of the reasonable costs for the provision of
- 23 services to recipients of medical assistance.
- 24 h. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 25 reimbursement rates for dental services shall remain at the
- 26 rates in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 27 i. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015,
- 28 state-owned psychiatric medical institutions for children shall
- 29 receive cost-based reimbursement for 100 percent of the actual
- 30 and allowable costs for the provision of services to recipients
- 31 of medical assistance.
- 32 (2) For the nonstate-owned psychiatric medical institutions
- 33 for children, reimbursement rates shall be based on the
- 34 reimbursement methodology developed by the department as
- 35 required for federal compliance.

- 1 (3) As a condition of participation in the medical
- 2 assistance program, enrolled providers shall accept the medical
- 3 assistance reimbursement rate for any covered goods or services
- 4 provided to recipients of medical assistance who are children
- 5 under the custody of a psychiatric medical institution for
- 6 children.
- 7 j. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, unless
- 8 otherwise specified in this Act, all noninstitutional medical
- 9 assistance provider reimbursement rates shall remain at the
- 10 rates in effect on June 30, 2015, except for area education
- 11 agencies, local education agencies, infant and toddler
- 12 services providers, home and community-based services providers
- 13 including consumer-directed attendant care providers under a
- 14 section 1915(c) or 1915(i) waiver, targeted case management
- 15 providers, and those providers whose rates are required to be
- 16 determined pursuant to section 249A.20.
- 17 k. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, for the
- 18 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the reimbursement rate for
- 19 anesthesiologists shall remain at the rate in effect on June
- 20 30, 2015.
- 21 1. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the average
- 22 reimbursement rate for health care providers eligible for use
- 23 of the federal Medicare resource-based relative value scale
- 24 reimbursement methodology under section 249A.20 shall remain
- 25 at the rate in effect on June 30, 2015; however, this rate
- 26 shall not exceed the maximum level authorized by the federal
- 27 government.
- 28 m. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 29 reimbursement rate for residential care facilities shall not
- 30 be less than the minimum payment level as established by the
- 31 federal government to meet the federally mandated maintenance
- 32 of effort requirement. The flat reimbursement rate for
- 33 facilities electing not to file annual cost reports shall not
- 34 be less than the minimum payment level as established by the
- 35 federal government to meet the federally mandated maintenance

- 1 of effort requirement.
- 2 n. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 3 reimbursement rates for inpatient mental health services
- 4 provided at hospitals shall be rebased effective October 1,
- 5 2015, subject to Medicaid program upper payment limit rules;
- 6 and psychiatrists shall be reimbursed at the medical assistance
- 7 program fee-for-service rate in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 8 o. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, community
- 9 mental health centers may choose to be reimbursed for the
- 10 services provided to recipients of medical assistance through
- ll either of the following options:
- 12 (1) For 100 percent of the reasonable costs of the services.
- 13 (2) In accordance with the alternative reimbursement rate
- 14 methodology established by the medical assistance program's
- 15 managed care contractor for mental health services and approved
- 16 by the department of human services.
- p. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 18 reimbursement rate for providers of family planning services
- 19 that are eligible to receive a 90 percent federal match shall
- 20 remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 21 q. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the upper
- 22 limits on reimbursement rates for providers of home and
- 23 community-based services waiver services shall be increased by
- 24 1.5 percent over the limits in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 25 r. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 26 reimbursement rates for emergency medical service providers
- 27 shall remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 28 s. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, reimbursement
- 29 rates for substance-related disorder treatment programs
- 30 licensed under section 125.13 shall be increased by 3 percent
- 31 over the rates in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 32 2. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 33 reimbursement rate for providers reimbursed under the
- 34 in-home-related care program shall not be less than the minimum
- 35 payment level as established by the federal government to meet

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- 1 the federally mandated maintenance of effort requirement.
- Unless otherwise directed in this section, when the
- 3 department's reimbursement methodology for any provider
- 4 reimbursed in accordance with this section includes an
- 5 inflation factor, this factor shall not exceed the amount
- 6 by which the consumer price index for all urban consumers
- 7 increased during the calendar year ending December 31, 2002.
- 8 4. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the foster
- 9 family basic daily maintenance rate and the maximum adoption
- 10 subsidy rate for children ages 0 through 5 years shall be
- 11 \$16.78, the rate for children ages 6 through 11 years shall be
- 12 \$17.45, the rate for children ages 12 through 15 years shall
- 13 be \$19.10, and the rate for children and young adults ages 16
- 14 and older shall be \$19.35. For youth ages 18 to 21 who have
- 15 exited foster care, the preparation for adult living program
- 16 maintenance rate shall be \$602.70 per month. The maximum
- 17 payment for adoption subsidy nonrecurring expenses shall be
- 18 limited to \$500 and the disallowance of additional amounts
- 19 for court costs and other related legal expenses implemented
- 20 pursuant to 2010 Iowa Acts, chapter 1031, section 408, shall
- 21 be continued.
- 22 5. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the maximum
- 23 reimbursement rates for social services providers under
- 24 contract shall remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2015,
- 25 or the provider's actual and allowable cost plus inflation for
- 26 each service, whichever is less. However, if a new service
- 27 or service provider is added after June 30, 2015, the initial
- 28 reimbursement rate for the service or provider shall be based
- 29 upon a weighted average of provider rates for similar services.
- 30 6. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 31 reimbursement rates for resource family recruitment and
- 32 retention contractors, child welfare emergency services
- 33 contractors, and supervised apartment living foster care
- 34 providers shall be increased by 5 percent over the rates in
- 35 effect on June 30, 2015.

- 1 7. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 2 reimbursement rate for safety plan services and family safety,
- 3 risk, and permanency services (family-centered) shall be
- 4 increased as follows:
- 5 a. The statewide base monthly payment amount for all
- 6 family safety, risk, and permanency services (family-centered)
- 7 contractors shall be increased by \$25.22 per month over the
- 8 rate in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 9 (1) Family safety, risk, and permanency services
- 10 Performance Measure 1 payments shall be increased by \$5.25 per
- 11 case over the rate in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 12 (2) Family safety, risk, and permanency services
- 13 Performance Measure 2 payments shall be increased by \$13.15 per
- 14 case over the rate in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 15 (3) Family safety, risk, and permanency services
- 16 Performance Measure 3 payments shall be increased by \$26.25 per
- 17 case over the rate in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 18 (4) Family safety, risk, and permanency services
- 19 Performance Measure 4 payments shall be increased by \$26.25 per
- 20 case over the rate in effect on June 30, 2015.
- 21 b. The maximum reimbursement unit rate for safety plan
- 22 services shall be increased by \$27.61 over the rate in effect
- 23 on June 30, 2015.
- 24 (1) Safety plan services Performance Measure 1 payments
- 25 shall be increased by \$5.25 per case over the rate in effect on
- 26 June 30, 2015.
- 27 (2) Safety plan services Performance Measure 2 payments
- 28 shall be increased by \$5.25 per case over the rate in effect on
- 29 June 30, 2015.
- 30 8. a. For the purposes of this subsection, "combined
- 31 reimbursement rate" means the combined service and maintenance
- 32 reimbursement rate for a service level under the department's
- 33 reimbursement methodology. Effective July 1, 2015, the
- 34 combined reimbursement rate for a group foster care service
- 35 level shall be the amount designated in this subsection.

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- 1 However, if a group foster care provider's reimbursement rate
- 2 for a service level as of June 30, 2015, is more than the rate
- 3 designated in this subsection, the provider's reimbursement
- 4 shall remain at the higher rate.
- 5 b. Unless a group foster care provider is subject to the
- 6 exception provided in paragraph "a", effective July 1, 2015,
- 7 the combined reimbursement rates for the service levels under
- 8 the department's reimbursement methodology shall be as follows:
- 9 (1) For service level, community D1, the daily rate shall
- 10 be at least \$84.17.
- 11 (2) For service level, comprehensive D2, the daily rate
- 12 shall be at least \$119.09.
- 13 (3) For service level, enhanced D3, the daily rate shall
- 14 be at least \$131.09.
- 9. The group foster care reimbursement rates paid for
- 16 placement of children out of state shall be calculated
- 17 according to the same rate-setting principles as those used for
- 18 in-state providers, unless the director of human services or
- 19 the director's designee determines that appropriate care cannot
- 20 be provided within the state. The payment of the daily rate
- 21 shall be based on the number of days in the calendar month in
- 22 which service is provided.
- 23 10. a. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 24 reimbursement rate paid for shelter care and the child welfare
- 25 emergency services implemented to provide or prevent the need
- 26 for shelter care shall be established by contract.
- 27 b. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the combined
- 28 service and maintenance components of the reimbursement rate
- 29 paid for shelter care services shall be based on the financial
- 30 and statistical report submitted to the department. The
- 31 maximum reimbursement rate shall be \$101.83 per day. The
- 32 department shall reimburse a shelter care provider at the
- 33 provider's actual and allowable unit cost, plus inflation, not
- 34 to exceed the maximum reimbursement rate.
- 35 c. Notwithstanding section 232.141, subsection 8, for the

- 1 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the amount of the statewide
- 2 average of the actual and allowable rates for reimbursement of
- 3 juvenile shelter care homes that is utilized for the limitation
- 4 on recovery of unpaid costs shall remain at the amount in
- 5 effect for this purpose in the fiscal year beginning July 1,
- 6 2014.
- 7 ll. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, the
- 8 department shall calculate reimbursement rates for intermediate
- 9 care facilities for persons with an intellectual disability
- 10 at the 80th percentile. Beginning July 1, 2015, the rate
- 11 calculation methodology shall utilize the consumer price index
- 12 inflation factor applicable to the fiscal year beginning July
- 13 1, 2015.
- 14 12. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, for child
- 15 care providers reimbursed under the state child care assistance
- 16 program, the department shall set provider reimbursement
- 17 rates based on the rate reimbursement survey completed in
- 18 December 2004. Effective July 1, 2015, the child care provider
- 19 reimbursement rates shall remain at the rates in effect on June
- 20 30, 2015. The department shall set rates in a manner so as
- 21 to provide incentives for a nonregistered provider to become
- 22 registered by applying the increase only to registered and
- 23 licensed providers.
- 24 13. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, if the
- 25 centers for Medicare and Medicaid services of the United States
- 26 department of health and human services approves the waivers
- 27 necessary to implement medical assistance program managed care
- 28 applicable to any providers subject to reimbursement under this
- 29 section, notwithstanding any provision to the contrary under
- 30 this section, affected providers shall instead be reimbursed
- 31 as follows:
- 32 a. For fee-for-service claims, reimbursement rates shall
- 33 be calculated based on the methodology otherwise specified in
- 34 this section for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, for
- 35 the respective provider or service.

- b. For claims subject to a managed care contract,
- 2 reimbursement shall be based on the actuarially sound
- 3 capitation rates established under the contract. However,
- 4 any reimbursement established under such contract shall not
- 5 be lower than the reimbursement otherwise specified in this
- 6 section for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, for the
- 7 respective provider or service.
- 8 14. The department may adopt emergency rules to implement
- 9 this section.
- 10 Sec. 30. EMERGENCY RULES.
- 11 1. If specifically authorized by a provision of this
- 12 division of this Act, the department of human services or
- 13 the mental health and disability services commission may
- 14 adopt administrative rules under section 17A.4, subsection
- 15 3, and section 17A.5, subsection 2, paragraph "b", to
- 16 implement the provisions of this division of this Act and
- 17 the rules shall become effective immediately upon filing or
- 18 on a later effective date specified in the rules, unless the
- 19 effective date of the rules is delayed or the applicability
- 20 of the rules is suspended by the administrative rules review
- 21 committee. Any rules adopted in accordance with this section
- 22 shall not take effect before the rules are reviewed by the
- 23 administrative rules review committee. The delay authority
- 24 provided to the administrative rules review committee under
- 25 section 17A.4, subsection 7, and section 17A.8, subsection 9,
- 26 shall be applicable to a delay imposed under this section,
- 27 notwithstanding a provision in those sections making them
- 28 inapplicable to section 17A.5, subsection 2, paragraph "b".
- 29 Any rules adopted in accordance with the provisions of this
- 30 section shall also be published as a notice of intended action
- 31 as provided in section 17A.4.
- 32 2. If during a fiscal year, the department of human
- 33 services is adopting rules in accordance with this section
- 34 or as otherwise directed or authorized by state law, and the
- 35 rules will result in an expenditure increase beyond the amount

- 1 anticipated in the budget process or if the expenditure was
- 2 not addressed in the budget process for the fiscal year, the
- 3 department shall notify the persons designated by this division
- 4 of this Act for submission of reports, the chairpersons and
- 5 ranking members of the committees on appropriations, and
- 6 the department of management concerning the rules and the
- 7 expenditure increase. The notification shall be provided at
- 8 least 30 calendar days prior to the date notice of the rules
- 9 is submitted to the administrative rules coordinator and the
- 10 administrative code editor.
- 11 Sec. 31. REPORTS. Any reports or other information
- 12 required to be compiled and submitted under this Act during the
- 13 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, shall be submitted to the
- 14 chairpersons and ranking members of the joint appropriations
- 15 subcommittee on health and human services, the legislative
- 16 services agency, and the legislative caucus staffs on or
- 17 before the dates specified for submission of the reports or
- 18 information.
- 19 Sec. 32. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. The following
- 20 provisions of this division of this Act, being deemed of
- 21 immediate importance, take effect upon enactment:
- 22 1. The provision relating to section 232.141 and directing
- 23 the state court administrator and the division administrator of
- 24 the department of human services division of child and family
- 25 services to make the determination, by June 15, 2015, of the
- 26 distribution of funds allocated for the payment of the expenses
- 27 of court-ordered services provided to juveniles which are a
- 28 charge upon the state.
- 29 DIVISION VI
- 30 HEALTH CARE ACCOUNTS AND FUNDS FY 2015-2016
- 31 Sec. 33. PHARMACEUTICAL SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT. There is
- 32 appropriated from the pharmaceutical settlement account created
- 33 in section 249A.33 to the department of human services for the
- 34 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016,
- 35 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be

1	used for the purpose designated:
2	Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, to
3	supplement the appropriations made in this Act for medical
4	contracts under the medical assistance program for the fiscal
5	year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016:
6	\$ 500,000
7	Sec. 34. QUALITY ASSURANCE TRUST FUND — DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN
8	SERVICES. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary and
9	subject to the availability of funds, there is appropriated
10	from the quality assurance trust fund created in section
11	249L.4 to the department of human services for the fiscal year
12	beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following
13	amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, for the purposes
14	designated:
15	To supplement the appropriation made in this Act from the
16	general fund of the state to the department of human services
17	for medical assistance for the same fiscal year:
18	\$ 36,705,208
19	Sec. 35. HOSPITAL HEALTH CARE ACCESS TRUST FUND —
	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES. Notwithstanding any provision to
	the contrary and subject to the availability of funds, there is
22	appropriated from the hospital health care access trust fund
	created in section 249M.4 to the department of human services
	for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June
	30, 2016, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
	necessary, for the purposes designated:
27	To supplement the appropriation made in this Act from the
	general fund of the state to the department of human services
29	for medical assistance for the same fiscal year:
30	\$ 34,700,000
31	Sec. 36. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM — NONREVERSION
	FOR FY 2015-2016. Notwithstanding section 8.33, if moneys
	appropriated for purposes of the medical assistance program for
	the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30,
35	2016, from the general fund of the state, the quality assurance

- 1 trust fund and the hospital health care access trust fund, are
- 2 in excess of actual expenditures for the medical assistance
- 3 program and remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
- 4 of the fiscal year, the excess moneys shall not revert but
- 5 shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes of the
- 6 medical assistance program until the close of the succeeding
- 7 fiscal year.
- 8 DIVISION VII
- 9 PATIENT-CENTERED HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL
- 10 Sec. 37. Section 135.159, subsection 2, paragraph a,
- 11 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2015, is amended to read as
- 12 follows:
- 13 The department shall establish an a patient-centered health
- 14 advisory council which shall include but is not limited to
- 15 all of the following members, selected by their respective
- 16 organizations, and any other members the department determines
- 17 necessary to assist in the department's duties at various
- 18 stages of development of the medical home system:
- 19 Sec. 38. Section 135.159, subsection 2, paragraph b, Code
- 20 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- 21 b. Public members of the patient-centered health advisory
- 22 council shall receive reimbursement for actual expenses
- 23 incurred while serving in their official capacity only if they
- 24 are not eligible for reimbursement by the organization that
- 25 they represent.
- 26 Sec. 39. Section 135.159, subsection 10, Code 2015, is
- 27 amended to read as follows:
- 28 10. The department shall integrate the recommendations and
- 29 policies developed pursuant to section 135.161, Code 2011, into
- 30 the medical home system and shall incorporate the development
- 31 and implementation of the state initiative for prevention
- 32 and chronic care management as developed pursuant to section
- 33 135.161, Code 2011, into the duties of the medical home system
- 34 patient-centered health advisory council beginning January 1,
- 35 2012.

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Sec. 40. CODE EDITOR DIRECTIVE. The Code editor shall amend the headnote of section 135.159, Code 2015, to read Medical home system — patient-centered health advisory council — development and implementation.
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- 5 DIVISION VIII
- 6 PRIOR YEAR APPROPRIATIONS AND OTHER PRIOR PROVISIONS
- 7 DECATEGORIZATION
- 8 Sec. 41. DECATEGORIZATION CARRYOVER FUNDING TRANSFER TO
- 9 MEDICAID PROGRAM. Notwithstanding section 232.188, subsection
- 10 5, paragraph "b", any state appropriated moneys in the funding
- 11 pool that remained unencumbered or unobligated at the close
- 12 of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and were deemed
- 13 carryover funding to remain available for the two succeeding
- 14 fiscal years that still remain unencumbered or unobligated at
- 15 the close of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, shall
- 16 not revert but shall be transferred to the medical assistance
- 17 program for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014.
- 18 COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES APPROPRIATION
- 19 Sec. 42. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 136, section 2, subsection
- 20 1, paragraph c, is amended to read as follows:
- 21 c. The department shall allocate not less than 95 percent
- 22 of the amount of the block grant each federal fiscal year
- 23 to eligible community mental health services providers for
- 24 carrying out the plan submitted to and approved by the federal
- 25 substance abuse and mental health services administration
- 26 for the fiscal year involved, except that for federal fiscal
- 27 year 2014-2015, \$1,643,467 of such federal block grant funds
- 28 shall be used for child and family services pursuant to 2013
- 29 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 148, as amended by 2014 Iowa
- 30 Acts, chapter 1140, section 25, for the purposes of 2014 Iowa
- 31 Acts, chapter 1140, section 25, subsection 20, relating to
- 32 the community circle of care collaboration for children and
- 33 youth in northeast Iowa, subsection 24 relating to the central
- 34 Iowa system of care program grant, subsection 25 relating
- 35 to the system of care grant implemented in Cerro Gordo and

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1	Linn counties, and subsection 27 relating to a system of care
2	approach for children with a serious emotional disturbance and
3	their families through a nonprofit provider of child welfare
4	services licensed as a psychiatric medical institution for
5	children.
6	TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES
7	Sec. 43. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 136,
8	subsections 1, 2, 6, and 13, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts,
9	chapter 1140, section 9, are amended to read as follows:
10	1. To be credited to the family investment program account
11	and used for assistance under the family investment program
12	under chapter 239B:
13	\$ 9,879,488
14	6,281,222
15	2. To be credited to the family investment program account
16	and used for the job opportunities and basic skills (JOBS)
17	program and implementing family investment agreements in
18	accordance with chapter 239B:
19	\$ 11,091,911
20	10,232,340
21	6. For state child care assistance:
22	\$ 35,047,110
23	41,210,239
24	a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
25	\$26,347,110 \$26,332,712 is transferred to the child care and
26	development block grant appropriation made by the Eighty-fifth
27	General Assembly, 2013 Session, in 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 136,
28	section 14 for the federal fiscal year beginning October 1,
29	2014, and ending September 30, 2015. Of this amount, \$200,000
30	shall be used for provision of educational opportunities to
31	registered child care home providers in order to improve
32	services and programs offered by this category of providers
33	and to increase the number of providers. The department may
34	contract with institutions of higher education or child care
	resource and referral centers to provide the educational

- 1 opportunities. Allowable administrative costs under the
- 2 contracts shall not exceed 5 percent. The application for a
- 3 grant shall not exceed two pages in length.
- 4 b. Any funds appropriated in this subsection remaining
- 5 unallocated shall be used for state child care assistance
- 6 payments for families who are employed, including but not
- 7 limited to individuals enrolled in the family investment
- 8 program who are employed.
- 9 13. a. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary,
- 10 including but not limited to requirements in section 8.41 or
- 11 provisions in 2013 or 2014 Iowa Acts regarding the receipt and
- 12 appropriation of federal block grants, federal funds from the
- 13 temporary assistance for needy families block grant received
- 14 by the state not otherwise appropriated in this section and
- 15 remaining available for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014,
- 16 are appropriated to the department of human services to the
- 17 extent as may be necessary to be used in the following priority
- 18 order: the family investment program, for state child care
- 19 assistance program payments for individuals enrolled in the
- 20 family investment program families who are employed, and for
- 21 the family investment program share of costs to develop and
- 22 maintain a new, integrated eligibility determination system.
- 23 The federal funds appropriated in this paragraph "a" shall be
- 24 expended only after all other funds appropriated in subsection
- 25 1 for the assistance under the family investment program,
- 26 in subsection 6 for child care assistance, or in subsection
- 27 12 for the family investment program share of the costs to
- 28 continue to develop and maintain a new, integrated eligibility
- 29 determination system, as applicable, have been expended. For
- 30 the purposes of this subsection, the funds appropriated in
- 31 subsection 6, paragraph "a", for transfer to the child care and
- 32 development block grant are considered fully expended when the
- 33 full amount has been transferred.
- 34 b. The department shall, on a quarterly basis, advise the
- 35 legislative services agency and department of management of

1	the amount of funds appropriated in this subsection that was
2	expended in the prior quarter.
3	CHILD SUPPORT RECOVERY UNIT
4	Sec. 44. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 139,
5	unnumbered paragraph 2, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter
6	1140, section 12, is amended to read as follows:
7	For child support recovery, including salaries, support,
8	maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
9	the following full-time equivalent positions:
10	\$ 14,911,230
11	14,771,230
12	FTEs 464.00
13	MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
14	Sec. 45. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 139, section 142,
15	unnumbered paragraph 2, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter
16	1140, section 14, is amended to read as follows:
17	For medical assistance program reimbursement and associated
18	costs as specifically provided in the reimbursement
19	methodologies in effect on June 30, 2014, except as otherwise
20	expressly authorized by law, consistent with options under
21	federal law and regulations, and contingent upon receipt of
22	approval from the office of the governor of reimbursement for
23	each abortion performed under the program:
24	\$ 1,250,658,393
25	1,310,299,250
26	MEDICAL CONTRACTS
27	Sec. 46. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 143,
28	unnumbered paragraphs 1 and 2, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts,
29	chapter 1140, section 19, are amended to read as follows:
30	There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to
31	the department of human services for the fiscal year beginning
32	July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following amount,
33	or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purpose
34	designated:

35 For medical contracts:

1	\$ 17,148,576
2	12,896,400
3	STATE SUPPLEMENTARY ASSISTANCE
4	Sec. 47. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 144,
5	subsection 1, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140,
6	section 20, is amended to read as follows:
7	1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
8	state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
9	beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following
10	amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
11	purpose designated:
12	For the state supplementary assistance program:
13	\$ 14,121,154
14	12,965,318
15	CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM/
16	HEALTHY AND WELL KIDS IN IOWA PROGRAM
17	Sec. 48. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 145,
18	subsection 1, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140,
19	section 21, is amended to read as follows:
20	1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
21	state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
22	beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following
23	amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
24	purpose designated:
25	For maintenance of the healthy and well kids in Iowa (hawk-i)
26	program pursuant to chapter 514I, including supplemental dental
27	services, for receipt of federal financial participation under
28	Tit. XXI of the federal Social Security Act, which creates the
29	children's health insurance program:
30	\$ 45,877,998
31	45,097,085
32	CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE
33	Sec. 49. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 146,
34	unnumbered paragraphs 1 and 2, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts,
35	chapter 1140, section 22, are amended to read as follows:

1	There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to
	the department of human services for the fiscal year beginning
	July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following amount,
	or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purpose
5	designated:
6	For child care programs:
7	\$ 47,132,080
8	36,303,944
9	CHILDREN ADJUDICATED AS DELINQUENT AND CHILD IN NEED OF
10	ASSISTANCE PLACEMENTS
11	Sec. 50. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, unnumbered paragraphs
	1 and 2, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140, section
13	24, are amended to read as follows:
14	There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to
15	the department of human services for the fiscal year beginning
	July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following amount,
17	or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
18	designated:
19	For the placement costs of female children adjudicated as
	delinquent and male and female children adjudicated as a child
	in need of assistance:
22	\$ 2,000,000
23	1,400,000
24	CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES
25	Sec. 51. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 148,
	subsection 1, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140,
	section 25, is amended to read as follows:
28	 There is appropriated from the general fund of the
	state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
30	beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following
	amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
32	purpose designated:
33	For child and family services:
34	\$ 94,857,554
35	91,364,087

1	ADOPTION SUBSIDY
2	Sec. 52. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 149,
3	subsection 1, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140,
4	section 26, is amended to read as follows:
5	1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
6	state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
7	beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following
8	amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
9	purpose designated:
10	For adoption subsidy payments and services:
11	\$ 42,580,749
12	41,744,149
13	FAMILY SUPPORT SUBSIDY
14	Sec. 53. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 151,
15	subsection 1, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140,
16	section 27, is amended to read as follows:
17	1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
18	state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
19	beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following
20	amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
21	purpose designated:
22	For the family support subsidy program subject to the
23	enrollment restrictions in section 225C.37, subsection 3:
24	\$ 1,079,739
25	579,739
26	FIELD OPERATIONS
27	Sec. 54. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 156,
28	unnumbered paragraphs 1 and 2, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts,
29	chapter 1140, section 32, are amended to read as follows:
30	There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to
31	the department of human services for the fiscal year beginning
32	July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following amount,
33	or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
34	designated:
35	For field operations, including salaries, support,

1	maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
2	the following full-time equivalent positions:
3	\$ 65,170,976
4	61,170,976
5	FTEs 1,837.00
6	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION
7	Sec. 55. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 157,
8	unnumbered paragraphs 1 and 2, as amended by 2014 Iowa Acts,
9	chapter 1140, section 33, are amended to read as follows:
10	There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to
11	the department of human services for the fiscal year beginning
12	July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following amount,
13	or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purpose
14	designated:
15	For general administration, including salaries, support,
16	maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
17	the following full-time equivalent positions:
18	\$ 16,072,302
19	15,072,302
20	FTEs 309.00
21	PHARMACEUTICAL SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT
22	Sec. 56. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 162, as
23	amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140, section 47, is amended
24	to read as follows:
25	SEC. 162. PHARMACEUTICAL SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT. There is
26	appropriated from the pharmaceutical settlement account created
27	in section 249A.33 to the department of human services for the
28	fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015,
29	the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
30	used for the purpose designated:
31	Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, to
32	supplement the appropriations made in this Act for medical
33	contracts under the medical assistance program for the fiscal
34	year beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015:
35	\$ 5,467,564

1	6,969,740
2	QUALITY ASSURANCE TRUST FUND
3	Sec. 57. 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 138, section 163, as
4	amended by 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140, section 48, is amended
5	to read as follows:
6	SEC. 163. QUALITY ASSURANCE TRUST FUND - DEPARTMENT OF
7	HUMAN SERVICES. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary
8	and subject to the availability of funds, there is appropriated
9	from the quality assurance trust fund created in section
L O	249L.4 to the department of human services for the fiscal year
L1	beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following
L 2	amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, for the purposes
L3	designated:
L 4	To supplement the appropriation made in this Act from the
L 5	general fund of the state to the department of human services
L 6	for medical assistance for the same fiscal year:
L7	\$ 29,195,653
L8	29,695,653
L 9	Sec. 58. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. This division of this
20	Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon
21	enactment.
22	Sec. 59. RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY. This division of this
23	Act is retroactively applicable to July 1, 2014.
24	DIVISION IX
25	QUALITY ASSURANCE ASSESSMENT
26	Sec. 60. Section 249L.3, subsection 1, paragraph d, Code
27	2015, is amended to read as follows:
28	d. The aggregate quality assurance assessments imposed
29	under this chapter shall $\frac{\text{not exceed the lower of}}{\text{be established}}$
30	<u>at</u> three percent of the aggregate non-Medicare revenues of a
31	nursing facility or the maximum amount that may be assessed
32	pursuant to the indirect guarantee threshold as established
33	pursuant to 42 C.F.R. §433.68(f)(3)(i), and shall be stated on
3 4	a per-patient-day basis.
2 5	DIVICION V

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LSB 2653XC (18) 86 pf/rj 84/206 1 HEALTH POLICY — OVERSIGHT

- 2 Sec. 61. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. **2.70** Legislative health policy 3 oversight committee.
- 4 l. A legislative health policy oversight committee
- 5 is created to provide a formal venue for oversight of
- 6 and stakeholder engagement in, the design, development,
- 7 implementation, administration, and funding associated
- 8 with general state health care policy, with a particular
- 9 focus on the Medicaid program. The overall purpose of the
- 10 committee is to ensure that health care policy in this state
- 11 is consumer-focused and provides for accessible, accountable,
- 12 efficient, cost-effective, and quality health care. The goal
- 13 of the committee is to continue to further health policy that
- 14 improves health care, improves population health, reduces
- 15 health care costs, and integrates medical and social services
- 16 and supports into a holistic health system.
- 17 2. a. The committee shall include all of the following 18 members:
- 19 (1) The co-chairpersons and ranking members of the
- 20 legislative joint appropriations subcommittee on health
- 21 and human services, or members of the joint appropriations
- 22 subcommittee designated by the respective co-chairpersons or
- 23 ranking members.
- 24 (2) The chairpersons and ranking members of the
- 25 human resources committees of the senate and house of
- 26 representatives, or members of the respective committees
- 27 designated by the respective chairpersons or ranking members.
- 28 (3) The chairpersons and ranking members of the
- 29 appropriations committees of the senate and house of
- 30 representatives, or members of the respective committees
- 31 designated by the respective chairpersons or ranking members.
- 32 b. The members of the committee shall receive a per diem as
- 33 provided in section 2.10.
- 34 c. The committee shall meet at least quarterly, but may meet
- 35 as often as necessary. The committee may request information

- 1 from sources as deemed appropriate, and the department of human
- 2 services and other agencies of state government shall provide
- 3 information to the committee as requested. The legislative
- 4 services agency shall provide staff support to the committee.
- 5 d. The committee shall select co-chairpersons, one
- 6 representing the senate and one representing the house of
- 7 representatives, annually, from its membership. A majority of
- 8 the members of the committee shall constitute a quorum.
- 9 e. The committee may contract for the services of persons
- 10 who are qualified by education, expertise, or experience to
- ll advise, consult with, or otherwise assist the committee in the
- 12 performance of its duties.
- 13 3. The committee shall submit a report to the governor and
- 14 the general assembly by December 15, annually.
- 15 Sec. 62. NEW SECTION. 231.44 Utilization of resources
- 16 assistance and advocacy related to long-term services and
- 17 supports under the Medicaid program.
- 18 1. The office of long-term care ombudsman may utilize its
- 19 available resources to provide assistance and advocacy services
- 20 to potential or actual recipients, or the families or legal
- 21 representatives of such potential or actual recipients, of
- 22 long-term services and supports provided through the Medicaid
- 23 program. Such assistance and advocacy shall include but is not
- 24 limited to all of the following:
- 25 a. Providing information, education, consultation, and
- 26 assistance regarding eligibility for, enrollment in, and the
- 27 obtaining of long-term services and supports through the
- 28 Medicaid program.
- 29 b. Identifying and referring individuals who may be eligible
- 30 for and in need of long-term services and supports to the
- 31 Medicaid program.
- 32 c. Developing procedures for tracking and reporting
- 33 individual requests for assistance with the obtaining of
- 34 necessary services and supports.
- 35 d. Providing consultation for individuals transitioning into

l or out of an institutional setting or across levels of care.

- e. Identifying gaps in or duplication of services provided
- 3 to older individuals and persons with disabilities and
- 4 developing strategies to improve the delivery and coordination
- 5 of these services for these individuals.
- 6 f. Providing advice, assistance, and negotiation relating
- 7 to the preparation and filing of complaints, grievances, and
- 8 appeals of complaints or grievances relating to long-term
- 9 services and supports under the Medicaid program.
- 10 g. Providing individual case advocacy services in
- 11 administrative hearings and legal representation for judicial
- 12 proceedings related to long-term services and supports under
- 13 the Medicaid program.
- 2. A representative of the office of long-term care
- 15 ombudsman providing assistance and advocacy services authorized
- 16 under this section for an individual, shall be provided
- 17 access to the individual, and shall be provided access to
- 18 the individual's medical and social records as authorized by
- 19 the individual or the individual's legal representative, as
- 20 necessary to carry out the duties specified in this section.
- 3. A representative of the office of long-term care
- 22 ombudsman providing assistance and advocacy services authorized
- 23 under this section for an individual, shall be provided access
- 24 to administrative records related to the provision of the
- 25 long-term services and supports to the individual, as necessary
- 26 to carry out the duties specified in this section.
- 27 4. For the purposes of this section:
- 28 a. "Institutional setting" includes a long-term care
- 29 facility, an elder group home, or an assisted living program.
- 30 b. "Long-term services and supports" means the broad range of
- 31 health, health-related, and personal care assistance services
- 32 and supports, provided in both institutional settings and home
- 33 and community-based settings, necessary for older individuals
- 34 and persons with disabilities who experience limitations in
- 35 their capacity for self-care due to a physical, cognitive, or

- 1 mental disability or condition.
- 2 Sec. 63. MEDICAID MANAGED CARE ORGANIZATIONS UTILIZATION
- 3 OF CAPITATED PAYMENTS.
- 4 l. All of the following shall apply to Medicaid managed care
- 5 contracts entered into on or after July 1, 2015:
- 6 a. Two percent of the Medicaid capitation payment amount
- 7 specified under the contract shall be withheld by the state to
- 8 be used to provide for Medicaid program oversight, including
- 9 for a health consumer ombudsman function, and for quality
- 10 improvement.
- 11 b. The portion of the Medicaid capitation payment paid
- 12 to a Medicaid managed care contractor that is required to be
- 13 dedicated to meeting the minimum medical loss ratio shall be
- 14 allocated to a Medicaid claims fund. Expenditures of moneys
- 15 in the Medicaid claims fund shall comply with all of the
- 16 following:
- 17 (1) Only expenditures for medical claims shall be
- 18 considered in computing the minimum medical loss ratio
- 19 as specified in the contract. For the purposes of the
- 20 computation, "medical claims" means only the costs of claims
- 21 for direct delivery of covered benefits incurred during the
- 22 applicable minimum medical loss ratio reporting period, not
- 23 otherwise defined or designated as administrative costs,
- 24 population health benefits or quality improvement, or profit in
- 25 this section.
- 26 (2) If a Medicaid managed care contractor does not meet
- 27 the minimum medical loss ratio established under the contract
- 28 for the reporting period specified, the Medicaid managed
- 29 care contractor shall remit the excess amount, multiplied
- 30 by the total contract revenue, to the state for community
- 31 reinvestment, oversight, and quality improvement.
- 32 c. The portion of the Medicaid capitation payment that is
- 33 not required to be dedicated to meeting the minimum medical
- 34 loss ratio, shall be allocated to an administrative fund.
- 35 Expenditure or use of moneys in the administrative fund shall

- 1 comply with all of the following:
- 2 (1) Funds in the administrative fund may be used for
- 3 population health and quality improvement activities
- 4 including conflict or reinvestment free case management, care
- 5 coordination, community benefit expenditures, nontraditional
- 6 consumer-centered services that address social determinants
- 7 of health, health information technology, data collection and
- 8 analysis, and other population health and quality improvement
- 9 activities as specified by rule of the department of human
- 10 services.
- 11 (2) Administrative costs shall not exceed the percentage
- 12 applicable to the Medicaid program for administrative costs for
- 13 FY 2015 of a maximum of 4 percent calculated as a percentage of
- 14 the Medicaid capitation payment during the applicable minimum
- 15 medical loss ratio reporting period. Administrative functions
- 16 and costs shall not be shifted to providers or other entities
- 17 as a means of administrative cost avoidance.
- 18 (3) Profit, including reserves and earnings on reserves
- 19 such as investment income and earned interest, as a percentage
- 20 of the Medicaid capitated payment, shall be limited to a
- 21 maximum of 3 percent during the applicable minimum medical loss
- 22 ratio reporting period.
- 23 (4) Any funds remaining in the administrative fund
- 24 following allowable expenditures or uses specified in
- 25 subparagraphs (1), (2), and (3) shall be remitted to the state
- 26 for community reinvestment, oversight, and quality improvement.
- 27 2. The department of human services shall specify by rule
- 28 reporting requirements for Medicaid managed care contractors
- 29 under this section.
- 30 Sec. 64. PROPOSAL FOR A HEALTH CONSUMER OMBUDSMAN
- 31 ALLIANCE. The office of long-term care ombudsman shall
- 32 collaborate with the department on aging, the department of
- 33 human services, the department of public health, the department
- 34 of inspections and appeals, the designated protection and
- 35 advocacy agency as provided in section 135C.2, subsection

- 1 4, the civil rights commission, the senior health insurance
- 2 information program, the Iowa insurance consumer advocate, Iowa
- 3 legal aid, and other consumer advocates and consumer assistance
- 4 programs, to develop a proposal for the establishment of
- 5 a health consumer ombudsman alliance. The purpose of the
- 6 alliance is to provide a permanent coordinated system of
- 7 independent consumer supports to ensure that consumers,
- 8 including consumers covered under Medicaid managed care,
- 9 obtain and maintain essential health care, are provided
- 10 unbiased information in understanding coverage models, and are
- 11 assisted in resolving problems regarding health care services,
- 12 coverage, access, and rights. The proposal developed shall
- 13 include annual budget projections and shall be submitted to the
- 14 governor and the general assembly no later than December 15,
- 15 2015.
- 16 Sec. 65. FUNCTIONAL, LEVEL OF CARE, AND NEEDS-BASED
- 17 ASSESSMENTS CASE MANAGEMENT.
- 18 1. The department of human services shall contract
- 19 with a conflict free third party to conduct initial and
- 20 subsequent functional, level of care, and needs assessments and
- 21 reassessments of consumers who may be eligible for long-term
- 22 services and supports and are subject to a Medicaid managed
- 23 care contract. Such assessments and reassessments shall not
- 24 be completed by a Medicaid managed care organization under
- 25 contract with the state or by any entity that is not deemed
- 26 conflict free. If a managed care contractor becomes aware that
- 27 an applicant may require long-term services and supports or
- 28 that an enrolled consumer's functional level of care, support
- 29 needs, or medical status has changed, the Medicaid managed care
- 30 contractor shall notify the department and the conflict free
- 31 third party shall administer any assessment or reassessment
- 32 in response to the notification. A case manager or Medicaid
- 33 managed care contractor shall not alter a consumer's service
- 34 plan independent of the prior administration of an assessment
- 35 or reassessment conducted by the conflict free third party.

- 1 The department of human services shall retain authority to
- 2 determine or redetermine a consumer's categorical, financial,
- 3 level of care or needs-based eligibility based on the conflict
- 4 free third party assessment or reassessment.
- 5 2. The department of human services shall provide for
- 6 administration of non-biased, community-based, in-person
- 7 options counseling by a conflict free third party for
- 8 applicants for a Medicaid managed care plan.
- 9 3. Case management under a Medicaid managed care contract
- 10 shall be administered in a conflict free manner.
- 11 4. For the purposes of this section, "conflict free" means
- 12 conflict free pursuant to specifications of the balancing
- 13 incentive program requirements.
- 14 DIVISION XI
- 15 AUTISM
- Sec. 66. Section 225D.1, subsections 3 and 8, Code 2015, are
- 17 amended to read as follows:
- 18 3. "Autism service provider" means a person providing
- 19 applied behavioral analysis, who meets all of the following
- 20 criteria:
- 21 a. Is any of the following:
- 22 (1) Is certified as a behavior analyst by the behavior
- 23 analyst certification board or is a health professional
- 24 licensed under chapter 147.
- 25 (2) Is a board-certified assistant behavior analyst who
- 26 performs duties, identified by and based on the standards of
- 27 the behavior analyst certification board, under the supervision
- 28 of a board-certified behavior analyst.
- 29 b. Is approved as a member of the provider network by the
- 30 department.
- 31 8. "Eligible individual" means a child less than nine
- 32 fifteen years of age who has been diagnosed with autism based
- 33 on a diagnostic assessment of autism, is not otherwise eligible
- 34 for coverage for applied behavioral analysis treatment under
- 35 the medical assistance program, section 514C.28, or private

- 1 insurance coverage, and whose household income does not exceed
- 2 four hundred percent of the federal poverty level.
- 3 Sec. 67. Section 225D.2, subsection 2, paragraph c, Code
- 4 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- 5 c. Notwithstanding the age limitation for an eligible
- 6 individual, a provision that if an eligible individual reaches
- 7 nine fifteen years of age prior to completion of the maximum
- 8 applied behavioral analysis treatment period specified in
- 9 paragraph "b", the individual may complete such treatment in
- 10 accordance with the individual's treatment plan, not to exceed
- 11 the maximum treatment period.
- 12 Sec. 68. Section 225D.2, subsection 2, Code 2015, is amended
- 13 by adding the following new paragraph:
- 14 NEW PARAGRAPH. 1. Proof of eligibility for the autism
- 15 support program that includes a written denial for coverage or
- 16 a benefits summary indicating that applied behavioral analysis
- 17 treatment is not a covered benefit for which the applicant
- 18 is eligible, under the Medicaid program, section 514C.28, or
- 19 private insurance coverage.
- 20 DIVISION XII
- 21 OFFICE OF SUBSTITUTE DECISIONMAKER
- Sec. 69. Section 231E.4, subsection 3, paragraph a, Code
- 23 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- 24 a. Select persons through a request for proposals process to
- 25 establish local offices of substitute decision maker in each
- 26 of the planning and service areas. Local offices shall be
- 27 established statewide on or before July 1, 2015 2017.
- 28 DIVISION XIII
- 29 DEMENTIA WORKFORCE
- 30 Sec. 70. INTERAGENCY DEMENTIA PROFICIENT WORKFORCE TASK
- 31 FORCE. The departments of public health, human services, and
- 32 inspections and appeals, the department on aging, and the
- 33 office of long-term care ombudsman shall convene an interagency
- 34 task force, in collaboration with the Alzheimer's association,
- 35 to review the recommendations for a standard curriculum model

- 1 for dementia education submitted by the Alzheimer's association
- 2 dementia education task force to the department on aging
- 3 in June 2010, in the Iowa dementia education project final
- 4 report, and the curricula-related recommendations submitted
- 5 by the direct care worker task force and the direct care
- 6 worker advisory council; identify staff, in settings in which
- 7 individuals with dementia may seek services and care, who
- 8 should have some level of dementia proficiency and analyze gaps
- 9 in existing training and educational requirements; and develop
- 10 an implementation plan to transition toward competency-based
- 11 dementia curricula and training that achieves dementia
- 12 proficiency across a broader care continuum. To the greatest
- 13 extent possible, the plan shall address training strategies
- 14 for different settings, levels of skill, and licensure. The
- 15 plan shall include a timeline for implementation, fiscal
- 16 implications of recommendations, and identification of key
- 17 decision points for the general assembly. The task force shall
- 18 provide opportunities for stakeholder input from affected
- 19 industry, education, professional, employee, and consumer
- 20 organizations. The task force shall submit its recommendations
- 21 to the governor and the general assembly no later than December
- 22 15, 2015.
- 23 DIVISION XIV
- 24 PHARMACEUTICAL COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL PROGRAM
- Sec. 71. Section 155A.43, Code 2015, is amended to read as
- 26 follows:
- 27 155A.43 Pharmaceutical collection and disposal program —
- 28 annual allocation.
- 29 Of the fees collected pursuant to sections 124.301 and
- 30 147.80 and chapter 155A by the board of pharmacy, and retained
- 31 by the board pursuant to section 147.82, not more than
- 32 one hundred twenty-five seventy-five thousand dollars may
- 33 be allocated annually by the board for administering the
- 34 pharmaceutical collection and disposal program originally
- 35 established pursuant to 2009 Iowa Acts, ch. 175, §9. The

- 1 program shall provide for the management and disposal of
- 2 unused, excess, and expired pharmaceuticals. The board of
- 3 pharmacy may cooperate with the Iowa pharmacy association and
- 4 may consult with the department and sanitary landfill operators
- 5 in administering the program.
- 6 DIVISION XV
- 7 MEDICAID STATE PLAN FAMILY PLANNING
- 8 Sec. 72. MEDICAID STATE PLAN AMENDMENT FAMILY
- 9 PLANNING. The department of human services shall amend the
- 10 medical assistance state plan to include, effective no later
- 11 than January 1, 2016, the eligibility provisions of the Iowa
- 12 family planning network section 1115 demonstration waiver in
- 13 effect on January 1, 2015. The department shall implement
- 14 the state plan amendment upon receipt of approval by the
- 15 centers for Medicare and Medicaid services of the United States
- 16 department of health and human services.
- 17 Sec. 73. EFFECTIVE DATE. This division of this Act, being
- 18 deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.
- 19 DIVISION XVI
- 20 IOWA ABLE SAVINGS PLAN TRUST
- 21 Sec. 74. NEW SECTION. 12I.1 Purpose and definitions.
- 22 1. The general assembly finds that the general welfare
- 23 and well-being of the state are directly related to the
- 24 health, maintenance, independence, and quality of life of its
- 25 disabled residents, and that a vital and valid public purpose
- 26 is served by the creation and implementation of programs that
- 27 encourage and make possible savings to secure funding for
- 28 disability-related expenses on behalf of individuals with
- 29 disabilities that will supplement, but not supplant, other
- 30 benefits provided by various federal, state, and private
- 31 sources. The creation of the means of encouragement for
- 32 citizens to invest in such a program represents the carrying
- 33 out of a vital and valid public purpose. In order to make
- 34 available to the citizens of the state an opportunity to fund
- 35 future disability-related expenses of individuals, it is

- 1 necessary that a public trust be established in which moneys
- 2 may be invested for payment of future disability-related
- 3 expenses of an individual.
- 4 2. As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise
- 5 requires:
- 6 a. "Account balance limit" means the maximum allowable
- 7 aggregate balance of an account established for a designated
- 8 beneficiary. Account earnings, if any, are included in the
- 9 account balance limit.
- 10 b. "Account owner" means an individual who enters into a
- 11 participation agreement under this chapter for the payment
- 12 of qualified disability expenses on behalf of a designated
- 13 beneficiary.
- 14 c. "Contracting state" means the same as defined in section
- 15 529A of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 16 d. "Designated beneficiary" means an individual who is a
- 17 resident of this state or a resident of a contracting state and
- 18 who meets the definition of "eligible individual" in section
- 19 529A of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 20 e. "Internal Revenue Code" means the Internal Revenue Code
- 21 of 1986, as amended, and regulations promulgated thereunder.
- 22 f. "Iowa ABLE savings plan trust" or "trust" means the trust
- 23 created under section 12I.2.
- 24 g. "Participation agreement" means an agreement between the
- 25 account owner and the trust entered into under this chapter.
- 26 h. "Qualified ABLE program" means the same as defined in
- 27 section 529A of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 28 i. "Qualified disability expenses" means the same as defined
- 29 in section 529A of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 30 j. "Resident" shall be defined by rules adopted by the
- 31 treasurer of state. The rules shall determine residency in
- 32 such manner as may be required or permitted under section
- 33 529A of the Internal Revenue Code, or, in the absence of any
- 34 guidance under federal law, as the treasurer of state deems
- 35 advisable for the purpose of satisfying the requirements of

- 1 section 529A of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 2 Sec. 75. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. **12I.2** Creation of Iowa ABLE savings 3 plan trust.
- 4 An Iowa ABLE savings plan trust is created. The treasurer of
- 5 state is the trustee of the trust, and has all powers necessary
- 6 to carry out and effectuate the purposes, objectives, and
- 7 provisions of this chapter pertaining to the trust, including
- 8 the power to do all of the following:
- 9 1. Make and enter into contracts necessary for the
- 10 administration of the trust created under this chapter.
- 11 2. Enter into agreements with this state or any other
- 12 state, or any federal or other state agency, or other entity as
- 13 required to implement this chapter.
- 3. Carry out the duties and obligations of the trust
- 15 pursuant to this chapter.
- 4. Accept any grants, gifts, legislative appropriations,
- 17 and other moneys from the state, any unit of federal, state, or
- 18 local government, or any other person, firm, partnership, or
- 19 corporation which the treasurer of state shall deposit into the
- 20 administrative fund or program fund.
- 21 5. Participate in any federal, state, or local governmental
- 22 program for the benefit of the trust.
- 23 6. Procure insurance against any loss in connection with the
- 24 property, assets, or activities of the trust.
- 25 7. Enter into participation agreements with account owners.
- 26 8. Make payments to designated beneficiaries pursuant to
- 27 participation agreements.
- 28 9. Make refunds to account owners upon the termination
- 29 of participation agreements, and partial nonqualified
- 30 distributions to account owners, pursuant to this chapter and
- 31 the limitations and restrictions set forth in this chapter.
- 32 10. Invest moneys from the program fund in any investments
- 33 that are determined by the treasurer of state to be
- 34 appropriate.
- 35 11. Engage investment advisors, if necessary, to assist in

- 1 the investment of trust assets.
- 2 12. Contract for goods and services and engage personnel
- 3 as necessary, including consultants, actuaries, managers,
- 4 legal counsel, and auditors for the purpose of rendering
- 5 professional, managerial, and technical assistance and advice
- 6 to the treasurer of state regarding trust administration and
- 7 operation.
- 8 13. Establish, impose, and collect administrative fees
- 9 and charges in connection with transactions of the trust, and
- 10 provide for reasonable service charges, including penalties for
- 11 cancellations and late payments with respect to participation
- 12 agreements.
- 13 14. Administer the funds of the trust.
- 14 15. Prepare and file reports and notices.
- 15 16. Enter into agreements with contracting states to permit
- 16 residents of the contracting state to participate in the Iowa
- 17 ABLE savings plan trust.
- 18 17. Adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A for the
- 19 administration of this chapter.
- 20 Sec. 76. NEW SECTION. 12I.3 Participation agreements for
- 21 trust.
- 22 On or after July 1, 2016, the trust may enter into
- 23 participation agreements with account owners pursuant to the
- 24 following terms and agreements:
- 25 l. a. Unless otherwise permitted under section 529A of the
- 26 Internal Revenue Code, the treasurer of state shall allow only
- 27 one participation agreement per designated beneficiary.
- 28 b. Unless otherwise permitted under section 529A of the
- 29 Internal Revenue Code, the account owner must also be the
- 30 designated beneficiary of the account. However, a trustee or
- 31 legal guardian may be designated as custodian of an account for
- 32 a designated beneficiary who is a minor or who lacks capacity
- 33 to enter into a participation agreement if such designation is
- 34 not prohibited under section 529A of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 35 c. The treasurer of state shall set an annual contribution

- 1 limit and account balance limit to maintain compliance with
- 2 section 529A of the Internal Revenue Code. A contribution
- 3 shall not be permitted to the extent it exceeds the annual
- 4 contribution limit or causes the aggregate balance of the
- 5 account established for the designated beneficiary to exceed
- 6 the applicable account balance limit.
- 7 d. The maximum amount that may be deducted per year for
- 8 Iowa income tax purposes by an individual for contributions on
- 9 behalf of any one designated beneficiary that is a resident
- 10 of this state shall not exceed the maximum deductible amount
- 11 determined for the year pursuant to section 12D.3, subsection
- 12 1, paragraph "a".
- 13 e. Participation agreements may be amended to provide
- 14 for adjusted levels of contributions based upon changed
- 15 circumstances or changes in disability-related expenses.
- 16 f. Any person may make contributions pursuant to a
- 17 participation agreement on behalf of a designated beneficiary
- 18 under rules adopted by the treasurer of state.
- 19 2. The execution of a participation agreement by the trust
- 20 shall not guarantee in any way that future disability-related
- 21 expenses will be equal to projections and estimates provided by
- 22 the trust or that the account owner or designated beneficiary
- 23 is guaranteed any of the following:
- 24 a. A return of principal.
- 25 b. A rate of interest or other return from the trust.
- 26 c. Payment of interest or other return from the trust.
- 27 3. a. A designated beneficiary under a participation
- 28 agreement may be changed as permitted under rules adopted by
- 29 the treasurer of state upon written request of the account
- 30 owner as long as such change would be permitted by section 529A
- 31 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 32 b. Participation agreements may otherwise be freely amended
- 33 throughout their terms in order to enable account owners to
- 34 increase or decrease the level of participation, change the
- 35 designated beneficiary, and carry out similar matters as

- 1 authorized by rule.
- Each participation agreement shall provide that the
- 3 participation agreement may be canceled upon the terms and
- 4 conditions, and upon payment of applicable fees and costs set
- 5 forth and contained in the rules adopted by the treasurer of
- 6 state.
- 7 Sec. 77. NEW SECTION. 121.4 Program and administrative
- 8 funds investment and payment.
- 9 1. a. The treasurer of state shall segregate moneys
- 10 received by the trust into two funds: the program fund and the
- 11 administrative fund.
- 12 b. All moneys paid by account owners or other persons
- 13 on behalf of a designated beneficiary in connection with
- 14 participation agreements shall be deposited as received into
- 15 separate accounts for each designated beneficiary within the
- 16 program fund.
- 17 c. Contributions to the trust made on behalf of designated
- 18 beneficiaries may only be made in the form of cash.
- 19 d. An account owner or designated beneficiary is
- 20 not permitted to provide investment direction regarding
- 21 contributions or earnings held by the trust.
- 22 2. Moneys accrued by account owners in the program fund
- 23 of the trust may be used for payments of qualified disability
- 24 expenses.
- 25 3. Moneys in the account of a designated beneficiary may
- 26 be claimed by the Iowa Medicaid program as provided in section
- 27 529A(f) of the Internal Revenue Code and subject to limitations
- 28 imposed by the treasurer of state.
- 29 4. The trust shall comply with Pub. L. No. 113-295, §103,
- 30 regarding treatment of ABLE accounts under certain federal
- 31 programs.
- 32 5. Moneys in the funds are not subject to section 8.33.
- 33 Notwithstanding section 12C.7, interest or earnings on moneys
- 34 in the funds shall be credited to the funds.
- 35 Sec. 78. NEW SECTION. 12I.5 Cancellation of agreements.

- 1 An account owner may cancel a participation agreement at
- 2 will. Upon cancellation of a participation agreement, an
- 3 account owner shall be entitled to the return of the account
- 4 owner's account balance.
- 5 Sec. 79. NEW SECTION. 12I.6 Repayment and ownership of
- 6 payments and investment income transfer of ownership rights.
- 7 l. a. An account owner retains ownership of all
- 8 contributions made on behalf of a designated beneficiary under
- 9 a participation agreement up to the date of utilization for
- 10 payment of qualified disability expenses of the designated
- 11 beneficiary.
- 12 b. All income derived from the investment of the
- 13 contributions made on behalf of a designated beneficiary shall
- 14 be considered to be held in trust for the benefit of the
- 15 designated beneficiary.
- 16 2. In the event the trust is terminated prior to payment of
- 17 qualified disability expenses for the designated beneficiary,
- 18 the account owner is entitled to a refund of the account
- 19 owner's account balance.
- 20 3. Any amounts which may be paid to any person or persons
- 21 pursuant to the Iowa ABLE savings plan trust but which are not
- 22 listed in this section are owned by the trust.
- 23 4. An account owner may transfer ownership rights to
- 24 another designated beneficiary, including a gift of the
- 25 ownership rights to a designated beneficiary who is a minor, in
- 26 accordance with rules adopted by the treasurer of state and the
- 27 terms of the participation agreement, so long as the transfer
- 28 would be permitted by section 529A of the Internal Revenue
- 29 Code.
- 30 5. An account owner or designated beneficiary shall not be
- 31 entitled to utilize any interest in the trust as security for
- 32 a loan.
- 33 Sec. 80. NEW SECTION. 121.7 Reports annual audited
- 34 financial report reports under federal law.
- 35 l. a. The treasurer of state shall submit an annual

- 1 audited financial report, prepared in accordance with generally
- 2 accepted accounting principles, on the operations of the trust
- 3 by November 1 to the governor and the general assembly.
- 4 b. The annual audit shall be made either by the auditor
- 5 of state or by an independent certified public accountant
- 6 designated by the auditor of state and shall include direct and
- 7 indirect costs attributable to the use of outside consultants,
- 8 independent contractors, and any other persons who are not
- 9 state employees.
- 10 2. The annual audit shall be supplemented by all of the
- 11 following information prepared by the treasurer of state:
- 12 a. Any related studies or evaluations prepared in the
- 13 preceding year.
- 14 b. A summary of the benefits provided by the trust,
- 15 including the number of account owners and designated
- 16 beneficiaries in the trust, or, if the trust has caused this
- 17 state to become a contracting state pursuant to section 12I.10,
- 18 a summary of the benefits provided to Iowa residents by the
- 19 contracted qualified ABLE program, including the number of
- 20 account owners and designated beneficiaries in the contracted
- 21 qualified ABLE program who are Iowa residents.
- 22 c. Any other information deemed relevant by the treasurer of
- 23 state in order to make a full, fair, and effective disclosure
- 24 of the operations of the trust or the contracted qualified ABLE
- 25 program if applicable.
- 26 3. The treasurer of state shall prepare and submit to the
- 27 secretary of the United States treasury or other required party
- 28 any reports, notices, or statements required under section 529A
- 29 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 30 Sec. 81. NEW SECTION. 121.8 Tax considerations.
- 31 l. For federal income tax purposes, the Iowa ABLE savings
- 32 plan trust shall be considered a qualified ABLE program exempt
- 33 from taxation pursuant to section 529A of the Internal Revenue
- 34 Code and shall be operated so that it meets the requirements of
- 35 section 529A of the Internal Revenue Code.

- 2. State income tax treatment of the Iowa ABLE savings plan 2 trust shall be as provided in section 422.7, subsections 34 and 3 34A.
- 3. State inheritance tax treatment of interests in Iowa ABLE savings plans shall be as provided in section 450.4, subsection 6.9.
- 7 Sec. 82. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. **12I.9** Property rights to assets in 8 trust.
- 9 1. The assets of the trust shall at all times be preserved, 10 invested, and expended solely and only for the purposes of the 11 trust and shall be held in trust for the account owners and 12 designated beneficiaries.
- 2. Except as provided in section 12I.4, subsection 3, no l4 property rights in the trust shall exist in favor of the state.
- 15 3. Except as provided in section 12I.4, subsection 3, the 16 assets of the trust shall not be transferred or used by the 17 state for any purposes other than the purposes of the trust.
- 18 Sec. 83. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. **12I.10** Implementation as a 19 contracting state tax considerations.
- 20 1. The general assembly acknowledges that section 529A of 21 the Internal Revenue Code permits access to qualified ABLE
- 22 programs by residents of a state without such a program. The 23 general assembly finds that becoming a contracting state may
- 24 accomplish the public purpose set forth in section 12I.1,
- 25 subsection 1, in the same manner as if the qualified ABLE
- 26 program under the Iowa ABLE savings plan trust were to be
- 27 implemented and administered by this state. To that end,
- 28 the treasurer of state, as trustee of the trust, may defer
- 29 implementation of the qualified ABLE program under the trust
- 30 and alternatively cause this state to become a contracting
- 31 state by entering into an agreement with another state with a
- 32 qualified ABLE program to provide Iowa residents access to that
- 33 state's qualified ABLE program. The trust shall not enter into
- 34 an agreement pursuant to this section unless the treasurer,
- 35 as trustee of the trust, determines that all of the following

- 1 requirements are satisfied:
- 2 a. The program is a qualified ABLE program.
- 3 b. The qualified ABLE program provides comparable benefits
- 4 and protections to Iowa residents as would be provided under
- 5 the Iowa ABLE savings plan trust.
- 6 c. That entering into an agreement for access to the
- 7 qualified ABLE program would not result in increased costs to
- 8 the state or to account owners and designated beneficiaries as
- 9 compared to the costs of implementing and administering the
- 10 qualified ABLE program under the Iowa ABLE savings plan trust.
- 11 d. The qualified ABLE program will be audited annually by
- 12 an independent certified public accountant or by the state
- 13 auditor, or similar public official, of the state that has
- 14 implemented the qualified ABLE program.
- 15 e. The qualified ABLE program will provide information to
- 16 the treasurer of state as trustee of the trust so as to allow
- 17 the trustee to fulfill the reporting requirements in section
- 18 121.7.
- 19 2. a. The maximum amount that may be deducted per year for
- 20 Iowa income tax purposes by an individual for contributions on
- 21 behalf of any one designated beneficiary that is a resident of
- 22 this state to the qualified ABLE program with which the state
- 23 has contracted pursuant to this section shall not exceed the
- 24 maximum deductible amount determined for the year pursuant to
- 25 section 12D.3, subsection 1, paragraph "a".
- 26 b. State income tax treatment of the qualified ABLE program
- 27 with which the state has contracted pursuant to this section
- 28 shall be as provided in section 422.7, subsections 34 and 34A.
- 29 3. State inheritance tax treatment of interests in the
- 30 qualified ABLE program with which the state has contracted
- 31 pursuant to this section shall be as provided in section 450.4,
- 32 subsection 9.
- 33 Sec. 84. NEW SECTION. 121.11 Construction.
- 34 This chapter shall be construed liberally in order to
- 35 effectuate its purpose.

- 1 Sec. 85. Section 422.7, Code 2015, is amended by adding the
- 2 following new subsections:
- 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 34. a. Subtract the amount contributed
- 4 during the tax year on behalf of a designated beneficiary
- 5 that is a resident of this state to the Iowa ABLE savings
- 6 plan trust or to the qualified ABLE program with which the
- 7 state has contracted pursuant to section 12I.10, not to exceed
- 8 the maximum contribution level established in section 12I.3,
- 9 subsection 1, paragraph "d", or section 12I.10, subsection 2,
- 10 paragraph "a", as applicable.
- 11 b. Add the amount resulting from the cancellation of a
- 12 participation agreement refunded to the taxpayer as an account
- 13 owner in the Iowa ABLE savings plan trust or the qualified
- 14 ABLE program with which the state has contracted pursuant to
- 15 section 12I.10 to the extent previously deducted pursuant
- 16 to this subsection by the taxpayer or any other person as a
- 17 contribution to the trust or qualified ABLE program.
- 18 c. Add the amount resulting from a withdrawal made by a
- 19 taxpayer from the Iowa ABLE savings plan trust or the qualified
- 20 ABLE program with which the state has contracted pursuant to
- 21 section 12I.10 for purposes other than the payment of qualified
- 22 disability expenses to the extent previously deducted pursuant
- 23 to this subsection by the taxpayer or any other person as a
- 24 contribution to the trust or qualified ABLE program.
- NEW SUBSECTION. 34A. Subtract, to the extent included,
- 26 income from interest and earnings received from the Iowa ABLE
- 27 savings plan trust created in chapter 121, or received by a
- 28 resident account owner from a qualified ABLE program with which
- 29 the state has contracted pursuant to section 12I.10.
- 30 Sec. 86. Section 450.4, Code 2015, is amended by adding the
- 31 following new subsection:
- 32 NEW SUBSECTION. 9. On the value of any interest in the Iowa
- 33 ABLE savings plan trust created in chapter 12I, or any interest
- 34 held by a resident account owner in a qualified ABLE program
- 35 with which the state has contracted pursuant to section 12I.10.

- 1 Sec. 87. CONTINGENT IMPLEMENTATION. The implementation of
- 2 chapter 12I as enacted in this division of this Act is subject
- 3 to an appropriation with the stated purpose of the Iowa ABLE
- 4 Savings Plan Trust.
- 5 Sec. 88. APPLICABILITY. The section of this division of
- 6 this Act amending section 450.4 applies to estates of decedents
- 7 dying on or after January 1, 2016.
- 8 Sec. 89. APPLICABILITY. The section of this division of
- 9 this Act amending section 422.7 applies to tax years beginning
- 10 on or after January 1, 2016.
- 11 DIVISION XVII
- 12 STATE CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE INCOME ELIGIBILITY
- 13 Sec. 90. Section 237A.13, subsection 7, paragraph c, Code
- 14 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- 15 c. Families with an income of more than one hundred
- 16 percent but not more than one hundred forty-five sixty percent
- 17 of the federal poverty level whose members, for at least
- 18 twenty-eight hours per week in the aggregate, are employed
- 19 or are participating at a satisfactory level in an approved
- 20 training program or educational program.
- 21 Sec. 91. DIRECTIVE TO DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES ON
- 22 CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE. The department of human services shall
- 23 amend its administrative rules relating to income eligibility
- 24 for state child care assistance, according to family size for
- 25 children needing basic care, to families whose nonexempt gross
- 26 monthly income does not exceed 160 percent of the federal
- 27 poverty level.
- 28 DIVISION XVIII
- 29 COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH AND DISABILITIES SERVICES FUNDING -
- 30 EQUALIZATION AND MEDICAID OFFSET
- 31 Sec. 92. Section 331.424A, subsection 8, unnumbered
- 32 paragraph 1, Code 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- Notwithstanding subsection 6, for the fiscal years beginning
- 34 July 1, 2013, July 1, 2014, and July 1, 2015, and July 1, 2016,
- 35 county revenues from taxes levied by the county and credited

- 1 to the county services fund shall not exceed the lower of the
- 2 following amounts:
- 3 Sec. 93. Section 426B.3, subsection 1, Code 2015, is amended
- 4 to read as follows:
- For the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2013, July
- 6 1, 2014, and July 1, 2015, and July 1, 2016, the state and
- 7 county funding for the mental health and disability services
- 8 administered or paid for by counties shall be provided based on
- 9 a statewide per capita expenditure target amount computed in
- 10 accordance with this section and section 331.424A.
- 11 Sec. 94. Section 426B.3, subsection 4, paragraph a, Code
- 12 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- 13 a. For the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2013, July 1,
- 14 2014, and July 1, 2015, and July 1, 2016, a county with a county
- 15 population expenditure target amount that exceeds the amount
- 16 of the county's base year expenditures for mental health and
- 17 disabilities services shall receive an equalization payment for
- 18 the difference.
- 19 Sec. 95. Section 426B.3, subsection 5, Code 2015, is amended
- 20 by striking the subsection.
- 21 DIVISION XIX
- 22 MEDICAID OFFSET PAYMENTS PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FUND
- 23 APPROPRIATIONS
- 24 Sec. 96. MEDICAID OFFSET PAYMENTS PROPERTY TAX RELIEF
- 25 FUND APPROPRIATION.
- 26 1. Of the moneys credited to the property tax relief fund
- 27 pursuant to section 426B.3, subsection 5, paragraph "e",
- 28 subparagraph (1), Code 2015, in the fiscal year beginning July
- 29 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, there is appropriated to the
- 30 department of human services for the fiscal year beginning July
- 31 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following amounts, to be
- 32 used for the purposes designated, notwithstanding any contrary
- 33 provision of chapter 426B:
- 34 a. For reductions in the waiting lists of all medical
- 35 assistance home and community-based services waivers:

1	\$ 5,092,000
2	b. For allocation to the department on aging for a grant
3	to a nationally affiliated organization providing support and
4	education to people living with Alzheimer's disease and other
5	related dementias to be used for a statewide public awareness
6	campaign regarding the signs of Alzheimer's disease and other
7	related dementias and the resources available to such people:
8	\$ 100,000
9	c. For development of an application for a planning
LO	grant through the substance abuse and mental health services
L1	administration of the United States department of health
L 2	and human services to participate in a two-year pilot for
L3	certified community behavioral health clinics under the federal
L 4	Protecting Access to Medicare Act of 2014, Pub. L. No. 113-93:
L 5	\$ 240,000
L 6	The department may use the funds allocated pursuant to this
L 7	paragraph to contract for necessary support to develop and
L8	submit the application for the planning grant.
L 9	2. Of the moneys credited to the property tax relief
20	fund pursuant to section 426B.3, subsection 5, paragraph e,
21	subparagraph (1), Code 2015, in the fiscal year beginning July
22	1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, there is appropriated to
23	the department of human services for the fiscal year beginning
24	July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following amount,
25	or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purpose
26	designated:
27	a. For distribution to a mental health and disability
28	services region where 25 percent of a region's projected
29	expenditures exceeds the region's projected fund balance:
30	\$ 4,554,651
31	b. For purposes of this section:
32	(1) "Available funds" means a county mental health and
	services fund balance on June 30, 2015, plus the maximum amount
3 4	a county was allowed to levy for the fiscal year beginning July
35	1, 2015.

- 1 (2) "Projected expenditures" means the actual expenditures
 2 of a mental health and disability services region as of June
 3 30, 2015, multiplied by an annual inflation rate equal to
 4 2 percent plus the projected costs for core services and
 5 additional core services administered by the region as provided
 6 in a region's regional service system management plan approved
 7 pursuant to section 331.393 for the fiscal year beginning July
- 9 (3) "Projected fund balance" means the difference between a 10 mental health and disability services region's available funds 11 and projected expenditures.
- 12 c. If sufficient funds are not available to implement this 13 subsection, the department of human services shall distribute 14 funds to a region in proportion to the availability of funds.
- 15 DIVISION XX
- 16 PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FUND BLOCK GRANT MONEYS MENTAL HEALTH
 17 INSTITUTES
- 18 Sec. 97. MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTES. The moneys transferred
- 19 to the property tax relief fund for the fiscal year beginning
- 20 July 1, 2015, from the federal social services block grant
- 21 pursuant to 2015 Iowa Acts, House File 630, if enacted, and
- 22 from the federal temporary assistance for needy families block
- 23 grant, totaling at least \$11,774,275, are appropriated to the
- 24 department of human services for the fiscal year beginning July
- 25 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, to be used for the purposes
- 26 designated:

8 1, 2015.

- 27 l. For the state mental health institute at Clarinda for
- 28 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
- 29 \$ 4,836,507
- 30 2. For the state mental health institute at Mount Pleasant
- 31 for salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes,
- 32 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
- 33 positions:
- 34 \$ 6,937,768

35 FTEs 97.68

DIVISION XXI 1 STUDY - CHILD WELFARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE STUDY — CHILD WELFARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE. 3 4 child welfare advisory committee of the council on human 5 services established pursuant to section 217.3A shall study 6 procedures in the department of human services for receiving 7 complaints from families involved in quardianship, placement, 8 and custody proceedings; the specificity and clarity of court 9 orders issued in foster care placements pursuant to the State 10 of Iowa Primary Review of Tit. IV-E Foster Care Eligibility 11 Report of Findings for October 1, 2012, through March 31, 2013; 12 caseload trends of social workers, including an analysis of how 13 Iowa compares nationally and with best practices as defined 14 by national associations; and immunity provisions for social 15 workers employed by the department of human services and basic 16 qualifications of social workers employed by the department 17 of human services. The committee shall submit a report with 18 findings and recommendations to the governor and general 19 assembly on or before December 15, 2015. 20 DIVISION XXII 21 COVERAGE OF SERVICES PROVIDED BY A PHYSICAL THERAPIST, 22 OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST, OR SPEECH PATHOLOGIST 23 NEW SECTION. 514C.30 Services provided by 24 a physical therapist, occupational therapist, or speech 25 pathologist. Notwithstanding the uniformity of treatment requirements 26 1. 27 of section 514C.6, a policy, contract, or plan providing 28 for third-party payment or prepayment of health or medical 29 expenses shall not impose a copayment or coinsurance amount 30 on an insured for services provided by a physical therapist 31 licensed pursuant to chapter 148A, by an occupational therapist 32 licensed pursuant to chapter 148B, or by a speech pathologist 33 licensed pursuant to 154F that is greater than the copayment or 34 coinsurance amount imposed on the insured for services provided 35 by a person engaged in the practice of medicine and surgery

- 1 or osteopathic medicine and surgery under chapter 148 for the
- 2 same or a similar diagnosed condition even if a different
- 3 nomenclature is used to describe the condition for which the
- 4 services are provided.
- 5 2. This section applies to the following classes of
- 6 third-party payment provider policies, contracts, or plans
- 7 delivered, issued for delivery, continued, or renewed in this
- 8 state on or after July 1, 2015:
- 9 a. Individual or group accident and sickness insurance
- 10 providing coverage on an expense-incurred basis.
- 11 b. An individual or group hospital or medical service
- 12 contract issued pursuant to chapter 509, 514, or 514A.
- 13 c. An individual or group health maintenance organization
- 14 contract regulated under chapter 514B.
- 15 d. A plan established pursuant to chapter 509A for public
- 16 employees.
- 17 e. An organized delivery system licensed by the director of
- 18 public health.
- 19 3. This section shall not apply to accident-only,
- 20 specified disease, short-term hospital or medical, hospital
- 21 confinement indemnity, credit, dental, vision, Medicare
- 22 supplement, long-term care, basic hospital and medical-surgical
- 23 expense coverage as defined by the commissioner, disability
- 24 income insurance coverage, coverage issued as a supplement
- 25 to liability insurance, workers' compensation or similar
- 26 insurance, or automobile medical payment insurance.
- 27 DIVISION XXIII
- 28 CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING WORKGROUP
- 29 Sec. 100. CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING
- 30 WORKGROUP. The department of human services, in cooperation
- 31 with the departments of education and public health, shall
- 32 facilitate a workgroup of stakeholders to study and make
- 33 recommendations relating to children's mental health and
- 34 well-being in this state. The issues that may be considered
- 35 by the workgroup include developing a strategic plan for

- 1 data systems to provide for a comprehensive analysis of 2 the mental health and well-being of children in this state; 3 creating a comprehensive system of care for children that 4 incorporates a coordinated response to mental health issues 5 across many disciplines including education, public health, 6 mental health, child welfare, and child welfare systems 7 and services and that specifically addresses the effects of 8 adverse childhood experiences and extreme child poverty and 9 homelessness; and building interdepartmental awareness of 10 issues relating to child mental health and well-being and 11 creating interdepartmental strategies for helping improve 12 child mental health and well-being and understanding impacts 13 on education and employment outcomes; examining child care 14 quality and affordability; and determining how government can 15 create community partnerships to help address issues of child 16 mental health and well-being. In carrying out the charge 17 of the workgroup, the workgroup shall review a 2014 report 18 by the children's defense fund on the state of America's 19 children containing the most recent and reliable national and 20 state-by-state data on many complex issues affecting children's 21 health and well-being, including data on more than 7,000 22 homeless public school students in Iowa. The workgroup shall 23 develop and recommend proactive strategies across state systems 24 to address these most complex needs impacting children's mental 25 health and well-being which will also aid different populations 26 of children with fewer challenges. The workgroup shall submit 27 a report on the study and make recommendations to the governor 28 and the general assembly on or before December 15, 2015.
- 29 DIVISION XXIV
- 30 PREVENTION OF DISABILITIES POLICY COUNCIL
- 31 Sec. 101. NEW SECTION. 225B.101 Findings and intent.
- 32 l. The general assembly finds that:
- 33 a. Between ten and twenty percent of Iowans have a
- 34 disability that affects their ability to learn, work,
- 35 communicate, perform activities of daily living, and

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- 1 participate in everyday community life. These disabilities
- 2 are the result of genetics, environmental factors, injury, or
- 3 illness; may occur at any point in life; may be mild, severe,
- 4 or intermittent; and are often very costly for the individuals
- 5 affected, their families, and government both in terms of
- 6 quality of life and financial expenditures.
- 7 b. Most disabilities are due to conditions that can be
- 8 prevented, can be minimized if recognized and treated early, or
- 9 can be reduced through appropriate accommodation.
- 10 c. A need exists to optimize the use of cost-effective
- ll prevention of disability strategies in state policies and
- 12 programs in order to reduce the cost of disabilities to Iowa's
- 13 citizens and government.
- 2. It is the intent of the general assembly to establish
- 15 a structure and process to identify opportunities to enhance
- 16 prevention of disability efforts in Iowa, design cross-agency
- 17 strategies to address the prevention of disabilities, integrate
- 18 and coordinate proven prevention of disability strategies
- 19 within state programs, and inform the general assembly about
- 20 priority prevention of disability policies and programs.
- 21 Sec. 102. NEW SECTION. 225B.102 Definitions.
- 22 As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise
- 23 requires:
- 24 1. "Council" means the prevention of disabilities policy
- 25 council.
- 26 2. "Disability" means an individual who meets the definition
- 27 in 42 U.S.C. §12102.
- 28 3. "Prevention" activities include policies, programs, and
- 29 practices that do any of the following:
- 30 a. Prevent a disability or a condition that leads to a
- 31 disability from occurring.
- 32 b. Identify a disability or a condition that leads to a
- 33 disability early on so that intervention can eliminate the risk
- 34 of a disability or minimize the disability's effect.
- 35 c. Reduce the effects of a disability on an individual's

- 1 health and independence.
- 2 Sec. 103. NEW SECTION. 225B.103 Prevention of disabilities
- 3 policy council established membership duties.
- 4 l. A prevention of disabilities policy council is
- 5 established to focus state prevention of disability efforts
- 6 and provide oversight in the development and operation of a
- 7 coordinated prevention of disabilities system. The council
- 8 shall consist of the following members:
- 9 a. Three providers of disability prevention services
- 10 appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate. The
- 11 governor may consider recommendations from the prevention of
- 12 disabilities policy council in making appointments.
- 13 b. Three persons with expertise in priority prevention areas
- 14 appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate. The
- 15 governor may consider recommendations from the prevention of
- 16 disabilities policy council in making appointments.
- 17 c. Three persons with disabilities or family members
- 18 of a person with disabilities appointed by the governor,
- 19 and confirmed by the senate. The governor may consider
- 20 recommendations from the prevention of disabilities policy
- 21 council in making appointments.
- 22 d. One representative each from the department on aging,
- 23 department of education, department of human services, and
- 24 department of public health appointed by the directors of the
- 25 respective agencies.
- 26 e. Two members of the senate appointed by the senate
- 27 majority leader and minority leader and two members of the
- 28 house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house
- 29 and the house minority leader.
- 30 2. Members of the council appointed by the governor shall
- 31 serve three-year staggered terms for terms beginning and ending
- 32 as provided in section 69.19. Members representing the state
- 33 departments shall serve one-year terms and shall serve as ex
- 34 officio, nonvoting members. Members of the general assembly
- 35 appointed to the council shall serve two-year terms as provided

- 1 in section 69.16B and shall serve as ex officio, nonvoting
- 2 members. Vacancies on the council shall be filled in the same
- 3 manner as original appointments. Members are entitled to
- 4 reimbursement of actual expenses incurred in performance of
- 5 their official duties.
- 6 3. The council shall do all of the following:
- 7 a. Review the prevention of disabilities activities of
- 8 public and private entities and provide recommendations to
- 9 optimize the planning, implementation, and evaluation of
- 10 prevention of disabilities efforts.
- 11 b. Promote cooperative and complementary planning among the
- 12 public, nonpublic, and volunteer sectors involved in prevention
- 13 of disabilities activities.
- 14 c. Facilitate coordination of prevention of disabilities
- 15 activities among state departments to develop an integrated
- 16 system of care.
- 17 d. Provide support and technical assistance to public
- 18 or nonpublic entities to identify, seek, implement, and
- 19 evaluate state, federal, and private grants for prevention of
- 20 disabilities activities.
- 21 e. Encourage research into the causes and prevention of
- 22 disabilities, including methods to evaluate the effectiveness
- 23 of prevention efforts.
- 24 f. Promote professional and provider training in
- 25 evidence-based prevention of disabilities measures and assure
- 26 adequate dissemination of such to appropriate entities.
- g. Submit to the governor and general assembly annually by
- 28 November 1 a report that includes all of the following:
- 29 (1) A summary of all disabilities prevention activities
- 30 conducted since the preceding annual report.
- 31 (2) Recommendations for policy and priorities for the
- 32 prevention of disabilities.
- 33 4. The council shall meet at least six times during the
- 34 year. A majority of the members of the council constitutes a
- 35 quorum and a quorum is necessary to act on matters within the

- 1 purview of the council.
- 2 Sec. 104. NEW SECTION. 225B.104 Rules.
- 3 The department of human services shall adopt and update
- 4 administrative rules as necessary to implement the provisions
- 5 of this chapter. All rules adopted by the department of human
- 6 services pursuant to this section are subject to approval by
- 7 the council.
- 8 Sec. 105. NEW SECTION. 225B.105 Coordination with state
- 9 agencies.
- 10 l. The directors or deputy directors of the state
- 11 departments on aging, and of education, human services, and
- 12 public health shall meet at least annually with the council and
- 13 shall do all of the following:
- 14 a. Provide an update to the council regarding the status
- 15 of prevention of disabilities policies and programs with
- 16 each respective department and provide recommendations about
- 17 priorities the council should consider in the next year.
- 18 b. Receive new policy and program recommendations from the
- 19 council regarding the prevention of disabilities.
- 20 2. The council may seek and receive data from state
- 21 departments that will aid in developing, implementing, and
- 22 evaluating prevention of disabilities efforts and systems in
- 23 Iowa.
- 24 Sec. 106. NEW SECTION. 225B.106 Coordination with
- 25 disability groups.
- 26 The chairpersons and designated staff of chairpersons of
- 27 public and private state disabilities prevention groups shall
- 28 meet with the council at least annually to do all of the
- 29 following:
- 30 l. Identify ways to incorporate prevention of disabilities
- 31 activities within Iowa's disabilities services system.
- 32 2. Assist in developing a policy agenda for prevention of
- 33 disabilities services system improvements.
- 34 Sec. 107. NEW SECTION. 225B.107 Evaluation.
- 35 The state's prevention of disability effort and the council

1 are subject to review and evaluation by the governor and the

- 2 general assembly.
- 3 DIVISION XXV
- 4 FACILITY FOR PERSONS WITH AGGRESSIVE OR PSYCHIATRIC BEHAVIORS
- 5 INTERIM COMMITTEE
- 6 Sec. 108. FACILITY FOR PERSONS WITH AGGRESSIVE OR
- 7 PSYCHIATRIC BEHAVIORS INTERIM COMMITTEE REPORT.
- 8 1. The legislative council is requested to establish an
- 9 interim study committee relating to the establishment of one
- 10 or more facilities to provide care and treatment for persons
- 11 who are sexually aggressive, combative, or who have unmet
- 12 geropsychiatric needs.
- 2. The study committee shall be composed of ten members
- 14 of the general assembly. Five members shall be members of
- 15 the senate, three of whom shall be appointed by the majority
- 16 leader of the senate, and two of whom shall be appointed by
- 17 the minority leader of the senate. Five members shall be
- 18 members of the house of representatives, three of whom shall
- 19 be appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives,
- 20 and two of whom shall be appointed by the minority leader of
- 21 the house of representatives.
- 3. The study committee shall receive testimony from
- 23 stakeholders with an interest or expertise relating to the
- 24 care and treatment of persons who are sexually aggressive,
- 25 combative, or who have unmet geropsychiatric needs including
- 26 health care providers, long-term care facilities, hospitals,
- 27 health systems, and other entities; consumers and families of
- 28 consumers; individuals involved in the delivery and financing
- 29 of related services and supports; and representatives of
- 30 agencies responsible for oversight, funding, and regulation of
- 31 such services and supports.
- 32 4. The study committee shall specifically address and
- 33 make recommendations relating to the characteristics of the
- 34 residents for such a facility and the size of the resident
- 35 populations to be served; options for creating a new facility

- 1 or expanding an existing facility; workforce recruitment,
- 2 training, and compensation issues; requirements that the
- 3 facility or facilities must meet in order to qualify for
- 4 Medicaid reimbursement; and any other information deemed
- 5 appropriate by the committee.
- 6 5. The study committee shall meet during the 2015
- 7 legislative interim and shall submit a report and
- 8 recommendations to the general assembly by January 1, 2016.
- 9 DIVISION XXVI
- 10 ANATOMICAL GIFT PUBLIC AWARENESS AND TRANSPLANTATION FUND
- 11 Sec. 109. Section 142C.15, subsection 4, paragraph c,
- 12 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2015, is amended to read as
- 13 follows:
- 14 Not more than fifty percent of the Any unobligated moneys
- 15 in the fund annually may be expended in the form of grants to
- 16 transplant recipients, transplant candidates, living organ
- 17 donors, or to legal representatives on behalf of transplant
- 18 recipients, transplant candidates, or living organ donors.
- 19 Transplant recipients, transplant candidates, living organ
- 20 donors, or the legal representatives of transplant recipients,
- 21 transplant candidates, or living organ donors shall submit
- 22 grant applications with supporting documentation provided
- 23 by a hospital that performs transplants, verifying that the
- 24 person by or for whom the application is submitted requires a
- 25 transplant or is a living organ donor and specifying the amount
- 26 of the costs associated with the following, if funds are not
- 27 available from any other third-party payor:
- 28 DIVISION XXVII
- 29 HOSPITAL AND LONG-TERM CARE PHARMACY PRACTICE —
- 30 PNEUMOCOCCAL VACCINES BOARD OF PHARMACY RULES
- 31 Sec. 110. HOSPITAL AND LONG-TERM CARE PHARMACY PRACTICE -
- 32 PNEUMOCOCCAL VACCINES BOARD OF PHARMACY RULES. The board
- 33 of pharmacy shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A relating
- 34 to hospital and long-term care pharmacy practices that allow,
- 35 as authorized by federal law, in addition to influenza and

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- 1 pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccines, that a written or verbal
- 2 patient-specific medication administration order shall not
- 3 be required prior to administration to an adult patient of
- 4 pneumococcal conjugate vaccine pursuant to physician-approved
- 5 hospital or facility policy and after the patient has been
- 6 assessed for contraindications.
- 7 DIVISION XXVIII
- 8 HEALTHY AND WELL KIDS IN IOWA PROGRAM CONTINUED ENROLLMENT
- 9 Sec. 111. Section 514I.8, subsection 3, Code 2015, is
- 10 amended to read as follows:
- 11 3. In accordance with the rules adopted by the board, a
- 12 child may be determined to be presumptively eligible for the
- 13 program pending a final eligibility determination. Following
- 14 final determination of eligibility, a child shall be eligible
- 15 for a twelve-month period. At the end of the twelve-month
- 16 period, a review of the circumstances of the child's family
- 17 shall be conducted to establish eligibility and cost sharing
- 18 for the subsequent twelve-month period. Pending such review
- 19 of the circumstances of the child's family, the child shall
- 20 continue to be eligible for and remain enrolled in the same
- 21 plan if the family complies with requirements to provide
- 22 information and verification of income, otherwise cooperates
- 23 in the annual review process, and submits the completed
- 24 review form and any information necessary to establish
- 25 continued eligibility in a timely manner in accordance with
- 26 administrative rules.
- 27 DIVISION XXIX
- 28 PERSONNEL SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT PAYMENTS
- 29 Sec. 112. PERSONNEL SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT PAYMENTS. As a
- 30 condition of the appropriations in this 2015 Act, the moneys
- 31 appropriated and any other moneys available shall not be used
- 32 for payment of a personnel settlement agreement that contains a
- 33 confidentiality provision intended to prevent public disclosure
- 34 of the agreement or any terms of the agreement.
- 35 DIVISION XXX

DEPARTMENT ON AGING - FY 2016-2017 1 2 Sec. 113. DEPARTMENT ON AGING. There is appropriated from 3 the general fund of the state to the department on aging for 4 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 5 2017, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, 6 to be used for the purposes designated: For aging programs for the department on aging and area 8 agencies on aging to provide citizens of Iowa who are 60 years 9 of age and older with case management for frail elders, Iowa's 10 aging and disabilities resource center, and other services 11 which may include but are not limited to adult day services, 12 respite care, chore services, information and assistance, 13 and material aid, for information and options counseling for 14 persons with disabilities who are 18 years of age or older, 15 and for salaries, support, administration, maintenance, and 16 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following 17 full-time equivalent positions: 5,718,033 18 \$ 19 FTEs 31.00 Funds appropriated in this section may be used to 21 supplement federal funds under federal regulations. 22 receive funds appropriated in this section, a local area 23 agency on aging shall match the funds with moneys from other 24 sources according to rules adopted by the department. Funds 25 appropriated in this section may be used for elderly services 26 not specifically enumerated in this section only if approved 27 by an area agency on aging for provision of the service within 28 the area. 29 Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$139,973 is 30 transferred to the economic development authority for the Iowa 31 commission on volunteer services to be used for the retired and 32 senior volunteer program. The department on aging shall establish and enforce 34 procedures relating to expenditure of state and federal funds

35 by area agencies on aging that require compliance with both

1 state and federal laws, rules, and regulations, including but 2 not limited to all of the following:

- 3 (1) Requiring that expenditures are incurred only for goods 4 or services received or performed prior to the end of the 5 fiscal period designated for use of the funds.
- 6 (2) Prohibiting prepayment for goods or services not 7 received or performed prior to the end of the fiscal period 8 designated for use of the funds.
- 9 (3) Prohibiting the prepayment for goods or services 10 not defined specifically by good or service, time period, or 11 recipient.
- 12 (4) Prohibiting the establishment of accounts from which 13 future goods or services which are not defined specifically by 14 good or service, time period, or recipient, may be purchased.
- b. The procedures shall provide that if any funds are expended in a manner that is not in compliance with the procedures and applicable federal and state laws, rules, and regulations, and are subsequently subject to repayment, the area agency on aging expending such funds in contravention of such procedures, laws, rules and regulations, not the state, shall be liable for such repayment.
- 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, at least 3 \$125,000 shall be used to fund the unmet needs identified through Iowa's aging and disability resource center network.
- 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, at least \$300,000 shall be used to fund home and community-based services through the area agencies on aging that enable older individuals to avoid more costly utilization of residential or institutional services and remain in their own homes.
- 30 6. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$425,000
 31 shall be used for the purposes of chapter 231E and section
 32 231.56A, of which \$162,500 shall be used for the office of
 33 substitute decision maker pursuant to chapter 231E, and the
 34 remainder shall be distributed equally to the area agencies on
 35 aging to administer the prevention of elder abuse, neglect, and

1	exploitation program pursuant to section 231.56A, in accordance
2	with the requirements of the federal Older Americans Act of
3	1965, 42 U.S.C. §3001 et seq., as amended.
4	DIVISION XXXI
5	OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN - FY 2016-2017
6	Sec. 114. OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN.
7	1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
8	to the office of long-term care ombudsman for the fiscal year
9	beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
10	amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
11	purposes designated:
12	For salaries, support, administration, maintenance, and
13	miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following
14	full-time equivalent positions:
15	\$ 753,392
16	FTES 21.00
17	2. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$225,000 shall
18	be used to continue to provide for additional local long-term
19	aara ambudaman
	care ombudsmen.
20	DIVISION XXXII
20 21	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017
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20 21 22 23 24 25	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or
20 21 22 23 24 25 26	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated: 1. ADDICTIVE DISORDERS
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated: 1. ADDICTIVE DISORDERS For reducing the prevalence of the use of tobacco, alcohol,
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated: 1. ADDICTIVE DISORDERS For reducing the prevalence of the use of tobacco, alcohol, and other drugs, and treating individuals affected by addictive
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated: 1. ADDICTIVE DISORDERS For reducing the prevalence of the use of tobacco, alcohol, and other drugs, and treating individuals affected by addictive behaviors, including gambling, and for not more than the
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated: 1. ADDICTIVE DISORDERS For reducing the prevalence of the use of tobacco, alcohol, and other drugs, and treating individuals affected by addictive behaviors, including gambling, and for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33	DIVISION XXXII DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH — FY 2016-2017 Sec. 115. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department of public health for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated: 1. ADDICTIVE DISORDERS For reducing the prevalence of the use of tobacco, alcohol, and other drugs, and treating individuals affected by addictive behaviors, including gambling, and for not more than the

a. (1) Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,

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- 1 \$2,624,181 shall be used for the tobacco use prevention
- 2 and control initiative, including efforts at the state and
- 3 local levels, as provided in chapter 142A. The commission
- 4 on tobacco use prevention and control established pursuant
- 5 to section 142A.3 shall advise the director of public health
- 6 in prioritizing funding needs and the allocation of moneys
- 7 appropriated for the programs and initiatives. Activities
- 8 of the programs and initiatives shall be in alignment with
- 9 the United States centers for disease control and prevention
- 10 best practices for comprehensive tobacco control programs that
- 11 include the goals of preventing youth initiation of tobacco
- 12 usage, reducing exposure to secondhand smoke, and promotion of
- 13 tobacco cessation.
- 14 (2) (a) Of the funds allocated in this paragraph "a",
- 15 \$226,534 is transferred to the alcoholic beverages division of
- 16 the department of commerce for enforcement of tobacco laws,
- 17 regulations, and ordinances and to engage in tobacco control
- 18 activities approved by the division of tobacco use prevention
- 19 and control of the department of public health as specified
- 20 in the memorandum of understanding entered into between the
- 21 divisions.
- 22 (b) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending
- 23 June 30, 2017, the terms of the memorandum of understanding,
- 24 entered into between the division of tobacco use prevention
- 25 and control of the department of public health and the
- 26 alcoholic beverages division of the department of commerce,
- 27 governing compliance checks conducted to ensure licensed retail
- 28 tobacco outlet conformity with tobacco laws, regulations, and
- 29 ordinances relating to persons under eighteen years of age,
- 30 shall continue to restrict the number of such checks to one
- 31 check per retail outlet, and one additional check for any
- 32 retail outlet found to be in violation during the first check.
- 33 b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 34 \$11,007,664 shall be used for problem gambling and
- 35 substance-related disorder prevention, treatment, and recovery

- 1 services, including a 24-hour helpline, public information
- 2 resources, professional training, and program evaluation.
- 3 (1) Of the funds allocated in this paragraph "b", \$9,451,857
- 4 shall be used for substance-related disorder prevention and
- 5 treatment.
- 6 (a) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph (1),
- 7 \$449,650 shall be used for the public purpose of a grant
- 8 program to provide substance-related disorder prevention
- 9 programming for children.
- 10 (i) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph division
- 11 (a), \$213,770 shall be used for grant funding for organizations
- 12 that provide programming for children by utilizing mentors.
- 13 Programs approved for such grants shall be certified or must
- 14 be certified within six months of receiving the grant award
- 15 by the Iowa commission on volunteer services as utilizing the
- 16 standards for effective practice for mentoring programs.
- 17 (ii) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph division
- 18 (a), \$213,420 shall be used for grant funding for organizations
- 19 providing programming that includes youth development and
- 20 leadership services. The programs shall also be recognized as
- 21 being programs that are scientifically based with evidence of
- 22 their effectiveness in reducing substance-related disorders in
- 23 children.
- 24 (iii) The department of public health shall utilize a
- 25 request for proposals process to implement the grant program.
- 26 (iv) All grant recipients shall participate in a program
- 27 evaluation as a requirement for receiving grant funds.
- 28 (v) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph division
- 29 (a), up to \$22,461 may be used to administer substance-related
- 30 disorder prevention grants and for program evaluations.
- 31 (b) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph
- 32 (1), \$136,302 shall be used for culturally competent
- 33 substance-related disorder treatment pilot projects.
- 34 (i) The department shall utilize the amount allocated
- 35 in this subparagraph division (b) for at least three pilot

- 1 projects to provide culturally competent substance-related
- 2 disorder treatment in various areas of the state. Each pilot
- 3 project shall target a particular ethnic minority population.
- 4 The populations targeted shall include but are not limited to
- 5 African American, Asian, and Latino.
- 6 (ii) The pilot project requirements shall provide for
- 7 documentation or other means to ensure access to the cultural
- 8 competence approach used by a pilot project so that such
- 9 approach can be replicated and improved upon in successor
- 10 programs.
- 11 (2) Of the funds allocated in this paragraph "b", up
- 12 to \$1,555,807 may be used for problem gambling prevention,
- 13 treatment, and recovery services.
- 14 (a) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph (2),
- 15 \$1,286,881 shall be used for problem gambling prevention and
- 16 treatment.
- 17 (b) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph (2), up to
- 18 \$218,926 may be used for a 24-hour helpline, public information
- 19 resources, professional training, and program evaluation.
- 20 (c) Of the funds allocated in this subparagraph (2), up
- 21 to \$50,000 may be used for the licensing of problem gambling
- 22 treatment programs.
- 23 (3) It is the intent of the general assembly that from the
- 24 moneys allocated in this paragraph "b", persons with a dual
- 25 diagnosis of substance-related disorder and gambling addiction
- 26 shall be given priority in treatment services.
- 27 c. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary,
- 28 to standardize the availability, delivery, cost of delivery,
- 29 and accountability of problem gambling and substance-related
- 30 disorder treatment services statewide, the department shall
- 31 continue implementation of a process to create a system
- 32 for delivery of treatment services in accordance with the
- 33 requirements specified in 2008 Iowa Acts, chapter 1187, section
- 34 3, subsection 4. To ensure the system provides a continuum
- 35 of treatment services that best meets the needs of Iowans,

- 1 the problem gambling and substance-related disorder treatment
- 2 services in any area may be provided either by a single agency
- 3 or by separate agencies submitting a joint proposal.
- 4 (1) The system for delivery of substance-related disorder
- ${\sf 5}$ and problem gambling treatment shall include problem gambling
- 6 prevention.
- 7 (2) The system for delivery of substance-related disorder
- 8 and problem gambling treatment shall include substance-related
- 9 disorder prevention by July 1, 2017.
- 10 (3) Of the funds allocated in paragraph "b", the department
- 11 may use up to \$50,000 for administrative costs to continue
- 12 developing and implementing the process in accordance with this
- 13 paragraph "c".
- d. The requirement of section 123.53, subsection 5, is met
- 15 by the appropriations and allocations made in this division of
- 16 this Act for purposes of substance-related disorder treatment
- 17 and addictive disorders for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
- 18 2016.
- 19 e. The department of public health shall work with all
- 20 other departments that fund substance-related disorder
- 21 prevention and treatment services and all such departments
- 22 shall, to the extent necessary, collectively meet the state
- 23 maintenance of effort requirements for expenditures for
- 24 substance-related disorder services as required under the
- 25 federal substance-related disorder prevention and treatment
- 26 block grant.
- 27 2. HEALTHY CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
- 28 For promoting the optimum health status for children,
- 29 adolescents from birth through 21 years of age, and families,
- 30 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
- 31 positions:
- 32 \$ 3,665,801
- 33 FTEs 13.00
- a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, not more
- 35 than \$367,421 shall be used for the healthy opportunities for

- 1 parents to experience success (HOPES)-healthy families Iowa
- 2 (HFI) program established pursuant to section 135.106. The
- 3 funding shall be distributed to renew the grants that were
- 4 provided to the grantees that operated the program during the
- 5 fiscal year ending June 30, 2016.
- 6 b. In order to implement the legislative intent stated in
- 7 sections 135.106 and 256I.9, that priority for home visitation
- 8 program funding be given to programs using evidence-based or
- 9 promising models for home visitation, it is the intent of the
- 10 general assembly to phase in the funding priority in accordance
- 11 with 2012 Iowa Acts, chapter 1133, section 2, subsection 2,
- 12 paragraph 0b.
- 13 c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$2,456,444
- 14 shall be used to continue to expand statewide the department's
- 15 initiative to provide for adequate developmental surveillance
- 16 and screening during a child's first five years. The funds
- 17 shall be used first to fully fund the current sites to ensure
- 18 that the sites are fully operational, with the remaining
- 19 funds to be used for expansion to additional sites. The full
- 20 implementation and expansion shall include enhancing the scope
- 21 of the program through collaboration with the child health
- 22 specialty clinics to promote healthy child development through
- 23 early identification and response to both biomedical and social
- 24 determinants of healthy development; by monitoring child
- 25 health metrics to inform practice, document long-term health
- 26 impacts and savings, and provide for continuous improvement
- 27 through training, education, and evaluation; and by providing
- 28 for practitioner consultation particularly for children with
- 29 behavioral conditions and needs. The department of public
- 30 health shall also collaborate with the Iowa Medicaid enterprise
- 31 and the child health specialty clinics to integrate the
- 32 activities of the first five initiative into the establishment
- 33 of patient-centered medical homes, community utilities,
- 34 accountable care organizations, and other integrated care
- 35 models developed to improve health quality and population

- 1 health while reducing health care costs. To the maximum extent
- 2 possible, funding allocated in this paragraph shall be utilized
- 3 as matching funds for medical assistance program reimbursement.
- d. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$37,320
- 5 shall be distributed to a statewide dental carrier to provide
- 6 funds to continue the donated dental services program patterned
- 7 after the projects developed by the lifeline network to provide
- 8 dental services to indigent individuals who are elderly or with
- 9 disabilities.
- 10 e. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$55,998
- 11 shall be used for childhood obesity prevention.
- 12 f. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$81,384
- 13 shall be used to provide audiological services and hearing
- 14 aids for children. The department may enter into a contract
- 15 to administer this paragraph.
- 16 g. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$12,500 is
- 17 transferred to the university of Iowa college of dentistry for
- 18 provision of primary dental services to children. State funds
- 19 shall be matched on a dollar-for-dollar basis. The university
- 20 of Iowa college of dentistry shall coordinate efforts with the
- 21 department of public health, bureau of oral and health delivery
- 22 systems, to provide dental care to underserved populations
- 23 throughout the state.
- 24 h. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$25,000
- 25 shall be used to address youth suicide prevention.
- i. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$25,000
- 27 shall be used to support the Iowa effort to address the survey
- 28 of children who experience adverse childhood experiences known
- 29 as ACEs.
- 30 3. CHRONIC CONDITIONS
- 31 For serving individuals identified as having chronic
- 32 conditions or special health care needs, and for not more than
- 33 the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 34 \$ 2,552,931
- 35 FTES 5.00

- a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$79,966
- 2 shall be used for grants to individual patients who have an
- 3 inherited metabolic disorder to assist with the costs of
- 4 medically necessary foods and formula.
- b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$445,822
- 6 shall be used for the brain injury services program pursuant to
- 7 section 135.22B, including for continuation of the contracts
- 8 for resource facilitator services in accordance with section
- 9 135.22B, subsection 9, and to enhance brain injury training and
- 10 recruitment of service providers on a statewide basis. Of the
- 11 amount allocated in this paragraph, \$47,500 shall be used to
- 12 fund one full-time equivalent position to serve as the state
- 13 brain injury services program manager.
- 14 c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$273,991
- 15 shall be used as additional funding to leverage federal funding
- 16 through the federal Ryan White Care Act, Tit. II, AIDS drug
- 17 assistance program supplemental drug treatment grants.
- 18 d. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$74,912
- 19 shall be used for the public purpose of continuing to contract
- 20 with an existing national-affiliated organization to provide
- 21 education, client-centered programs, and client and family
- 22 support for people living with epilepsy and their families.
- 23 The amount allocated in this paragraph in excess of \$50,000
- 24 shall be matched dollar-for-dollar by the organization
- 25 specified.
- e. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$392,557
- 27 shall be used for child health specialty clinics.
- 28 f. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$200,000
- 29 shall be used by the regional autism assistance program
- 30 established pursuant to section 256.35, and administered by
- 31 the child health specialty clinic located at the university of
- 32 Iowa hospitals and clinics. The funds shall be used to enhance
- 33 interagency collaboration and coordination of educational,
- 34 medical, and other human services for persons with autism,
- 35 their families, and providers of services, including delivering

- 1 regionalized services of care coordination, family navigation,
- 2 and integration of services through the statewide system of
- 3 regional child health specialty clinics and fulfilling other
- 4 requirements as specified in chapter 225D. The university of
- 5 Iowa shall not receive funds allocated under this paragraph for
- 6 indirect costs associated with the regional autism assistance
- 7 program.
- 8 q. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$285,497
- 9 shall be used for the comprehensive cancer control program to
- 10 reduce the burden of cancer in Iowa through prevention, early
- 11 detection, effective treatment, and ensuring quality of life.
- 12 Of the funds allocated in this paragraph "g", \$75,000 shall
- 13 be used to support a melanoma research symposium, a melanoma
- 14 biorepository and registry, basic and translational melanoma
- 15 research, and clinical trials.
- 16 h. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$63,225
- 17 shall be used for cervical and colon cancer screening, and
- 18 \$150,000 shall be used to enhance the capacity of the cervical
- 19 cancer screening program to include provision of recommended
- 20 prevention and early detection measures to a broader range of
- 21 low-income women.
- i. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$338,432
- 23 shall be used for the center for congenital and inherited
- 24 disorders including to provide for surveillance of stillbirths
- 25 as defined in section 136A.2.
- j. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$64,706
- 27 shall be used for the prescription drug donation repository
- 28 program created in chapter 135M.
- 29 k. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 30 \$107,632 shall be used by the department of public health
- 31 for reform-related activities, including but not limited to
- 32 facilitation of communication to stakeholders at the state and
- 33 local level, administering the patient-centered health advisory
- 34 council pursuant to section 135.159, and involvement in health
- 35 care system innovation activities occurring across the state.

- 1. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$12,500
- 2 shall be used for administration of chapter 124D, the medical
- 3 cannabidiol Act, or other Code provisions authorizing the
- 4 compassionate medical use of cannabis, if enacted by the 2016
- 5 regular session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly.
- 6 4. COMMUNITY CAPACITY
- 7 For strengthening the health care delivery system at the
- 8 local level, and for not more than the following full-time
- 9 equivalent positions:
- 10 \$ 4,359,858
- 11 FTEs 11.00
- 12 a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$49,707
- 13 is allocated for continuation of the child vision screening
- 14 program implemented through the university of Iowa hospitals
- 15 and clinics in collaboration with early childhood Iowa areas.
- 16 The program shall submit a report to the individuals identified
- 17 in this Act for submission of reports regarding the use of
- 18 funds allocated under this paragraph "a". The report shall
- 19 include the objectives and results for the program year
- 20 including the target population and how the funds allocated
- 21 assisted the program in meeting the objectives; the number,
- 22 age, and location within the state of individuals served;
- 23 the type of services provided to the individuals served; the
- 24 distribution of funds based on service provided; and the
- 25 continuing needs of the program.
- 26 b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$55,328 is
- 27 allocated for continuation of an initiative implemented at the
- 28 university of Iowa and \$49,952 is allocated for continuation of
- 29 an initiative at the state mental health institute at Cherokee
- 30 to expand and improve the workforce engaged in mental health
- 31 treatment and services. The initiatives shall receive input
- 32 from the university of Iowa, the department of human services,
- 33 the department of public health, and the mental health and
- 34 disability services commission to address the focus of the
- 35 initiatives.

- 1 c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$582,314
- 2 shall be used for essential public health services that promote
- 3 healthy aging throughout one's lifespan, contracted through a
- 4 formula for local boards of health, to enhance health promotion
- 5 and disease prevention services.
- 6 d. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$49,643 shall
- 7 be deposited in the governmental public health system fund
- 8 created in section 135A.8 to be used for the purposes of the
- 9 fund.
- 10 e. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$52,724
- 11 shall be used to continue to address the shortage of mental
- 12 health professionals in the state.
- 13 f. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 14 \$25,000 shall be used for a grant to a statewide association
- 15 of psychologists that is affiliated with the American
- 16 psychological association to be used for continuation of a
- 17 program to rotate intern psychologists in placements in urban
- 18 and rural mental health professional shortage areas, as defined
- 19 in section 135.180.
- 20 g. (1) Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 21 \$1,441,485 shall be allocated as a grant to the Iowa primary
- 22 care association to be used pursuant to section 135.153 for
- 23 the statewide coordination of the Iowa collaborative safety
- 24 net provider network. Coordination of the network shall
- 25 focus on increasing access by underserved populations to
- 26 health care services, increasing integration of the health
- 27 system and collaboration across the continuum of care with
- 28 a focus on safety net services, and enhancing the Iowa
- 29 collaborative safety net provider network's communication and
- 30 education efforts. The amount allocated as a grant under this
- 31 subparagraph (1) shall be used as follows to support the Iowa
- 32 collaborative safety net provider network goals of increased
- 33 access, health system integration, and engagement:
- 34 (a) For distribution to safety net partners in the state
- 35 that work to increase access of the underserved population to

1 health services: 512,743 (i) Of the amount allocated in this subparagraph 4 division (a), up to \$206,708 shall be distributed to the 5 Iowa prescription drug corporation for continuation of the 6 pharmaceutical infrastructure for safety net providers as 7 described in 2007 Iowa Acts, chapter 218, section 108. (ii) Of the amount allocated in this subparagraph division 9 (a), up to \$174,161 shall be distributed to free clinics and 10 free clinics of Iowa for necessary infrastructure, statewide 11 coordination, provider recruitment, service delivery, and 12 provision of assistance to patients in securing a medical home 13 inclusive of oral health care. (iii) Of the amount allocated in this subparagraph 14 15 division (a), up to \$25,000 shall be distributed to the 16 Iowa coalition against sexual assault to continue a training 17 program for sexual assault response team (SART) members, 18 including representatives of law enforcement, victim advocates, 19 prosecutors, and certified medical personnel. (iv) Of the amount allocated in this subparagraph division 21 (a), up to \$106,874 shall be distributed to the Polk county 22 medical society for continuation of the safety net provider 23 patient access to a specialty health care initiative as 24 described in 2007 Iowa Acts, chapter 218, section 109. (b) For distribution to safety net partners in the 26 state that work to increase health system integration, care 27 coordination, and collaboration across the continuum of care 28 with a focus on safety net services. Such efforts shall 29 include but not be limited to community care coordination team 30 development and integration of medical and behavioral health 31 services. Efforts shall also include working, in conjunction 32 with the department of human services and the department 33 of public health, to support Medicaid managed care efforts 34 inclusive of the state innovation model through the continued

35 development and implementation of community care coordination

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1 teams. Implementation of the community care coordination
 2 teams shall be accomplished through a statewide regionally
 3 based network that provides an integrated approach to health
 4 care delivery through care coordination that supports primary
 5 care providers and links patients with community resources
 6 necessary to empower patients in addressing biomedical and
 7 social determinants of health to improve health outcomes:
 8 ......
                                                         836,100
     (c) For distribution to safety net partners in the state
10 that work to serve as a resource for credible, accurate
11 information on health care-related needs and services
12 for vulnerable populations in the state including the
13 Iowa association of rural health clinics for necessary
14 infrastructure and service delivery transformation and the Iowa
15 primary care association to support partner engagement, program
16 management, and statewide coordination of the network:
92,643
     (2) The amount allocated under this paragraph "g" shall
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19 not be reduced for administrative or other costs prior to
20 distribution. The Iowa collaborative safety net provider
21 network may continue to distribute funds allocated pursuant to
22 this paragraph "g" through existing contracts or renewal of
23 existing contracts.
      (3) For each goal of the Iowa collaborative safety net
25 provider network, the Iowa primary care association shall
26 submit a progress report to the individuals designated in this
27 Act for submission of reports by December 15, 2016, including
28 progress in developing and implementing the network, how the
29 funds were distributed and used in developing and implementing
30 the network, and the remaining needs identified to fully
31 develop and implement the network.
     h. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, $106,700
33 shall be used for continuation of the work of the direct care
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34 worker advisory council established pursuant to 2008 Iowa Acts, 35 chapter 1188, section 69, in implementing the recommendations

- 1 in the final report submitted by the advisory council to the
- 2 governor and the general assembly in March 2012.
- i. (1) Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 4 \$108,188 shall be used for allocation to an independent
- 5 statewide direct care worker organization under continuation
- 6 of the contract in effect during the fiscal year ending June
- 7 30, 2016.
- 8 (2) Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$37,500
- 9 shall be used to provide scholarships or other forms of
- 10 subsidization for direct care worker educational conferences,
- ll training, or outreach activities.
- 12 j. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, the
- 13 department may use up to \$29,088 for up to one full-time
- 14 equivalent position to administer the volunteer health care
- 15 provider program pursuant to section 135.24.
- 16 k. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$50,000
- 17 shall be used for a matching dental education loan repayment
- 18 program to be allocated to a dental nonprofit health service
- 19 corporation to continue to develop the criteria and implement
- 20 the loan repayment program.
- 21 1. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$52,912 is
- 22 transferred to the college student aid commission for deposit
- 23 in the rural Iowa primary care trust fund created in section
- 24 261.113 to be used for the purposes of the fund.
- 25 m. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$125,000
- 26 shall be used for the purposes of the Iowa donor registry as
- 27 specified in section 142C.18.
- 28 n. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$50,000
- 29 shall be used for continuation of a grant to a nationally
- 30 affiliated volunteer eye organization that has an established
- 31 program for children and adults and that is solely dedicated to
- 32 preserving sight and preventing blindness through education,
- 33 nationally certified vision screening and training, and
- 34 community and patient service programs. The organization
- 35 shall submit a report to the individuals identified in this

- 1 Act for submission of reports regarding the use of funds
- 2 allocated under this paragraph "n". The report shall include
- 3 the objectives and results for the program year including
- 4 the target population and how the funds allocated assisted
- 5 the program in meeting the objectives; the number, age, and
- 6 location within the state of individuals served; the type of
- 7 services provided to the individuals served; the distribution
- 8 of funds based on services provided; and the continuing needs
- 9 of the program.
- 10 o. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$12,500
- 11 shall be used for the continuation of a wellness council under
- 12 the direction of the director of public health to increase
- 13 support for wellness activities in the state.
- p. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$1,000,000
- 15 shall be deposited in the medical residency training account
- 16 created in section 135.175, subsection 5, paragraph "a", and
- 17 is appropriated from the account to the department of public
- 18 health to be used for the purposes of the medical residency
- 19 training state matching grants program as specified in section
- 20 135.176. However, notwithstanding any provision to the
- 21 contrary in section 135.176, priority in the awarding of grants
- 22 shall be given to sponsors that propose preference in the use
- 23 of the grant funds for psychiatric residency positions and
- 24 family practice residency positions.
- 25 q. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$15,000 shall
- 26 be used for continuation of a grant to a dental nonprofit
- 27 health service corporation to support an initiative of the
- 28 lifelong smiles coalition in developing and testing an oral
- 29 health specialty training for direct care professionals. The
- 30 specialty training curriculum shall be developed through a
- 31 partnership with the university of Iowa college of dentistry
- 32 and the college of nursing to increase access to and improve
- 33 oral health care of older Iowans who are homebound or living
- 34 in nursing facilities, to improve and enhance their overall
- 35 health, comfort, and dignity.

1	5. HEALTHY AGING
2	To provide public health services that reduce risks and
3	invest in promoting and protecting good health over the
4	course of a lifetime with a priority given to older Iowans and
5	vulnerable populations:
6	\$ 3,648,571
7	6. INFECTIOUS DISEASES
8	For reducing the incidence and prevalence of communicable
9	diseases, and for not more than the following full-time
10	equivalent positions:
11	\$ 667,578
12	FTEs 4.00
13	7. PUBLIC PROTECTION
14	For protecting the health and safety of the public through
15	establishing standards and enforcing regulations, and for not
16	more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
17	\$ 2,169,596
18	FTEs 135.50
19	a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, not more
20	than \$227,350 shall be credited to the emergency medical
21	services fund created in section 135.25. Moneys in the
22	emergency medical services fund are appropriated to the
23	department to be used for the purposes of the fund.
24	b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$101,516
	shall be used for sexual violence prevention programming
	through a statewide organization representing programs
	serving victims of sexual violence through the department's
	sexual violence prevention program. The amount allocated
	in this paragraph "b" shall not be used to supplant funding
	administered for other sexual violence prevention or victims
	assistance programs.
32	c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$299,376
	shall be used for the state poison control center. Pursuant
	to the directive under 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140, section
35	102, the federal matching funds available to the state poison

1	control center from the department of human services under the
2	federal Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act
3	allotment shall be subject to the federal administrative cap
4	rule of 10 percent applicable to funding provided under Tit.
5	XXI of the federal Social Security Act and included within the
6	department's calculations of the cap.
7	d. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$268,875
8	shall be used for childhood lead poisoning provisions.
9	8. RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
10	For establishing and sustaining the overall ability of the
11	department to deliver services to the public, and for not more
12	than the following full-time equivalent positions:
13	\$ 427,536
14	FTES 4.00
15	The university of Iowa hospitals and clinics under the
16	control of the state board of regents shall not receive
17	indirect costs from the funds appropriated in this section.
18	The university of Iowa hospitals and clinics billings to the
19	department shall be on at least a quarterly basis.
20	DIVISION XXXIII
21	DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS — FY 2016-2017
22	Sec. 116. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS. There is
23	appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
24	department of veterans affairs for the fiscal year beginning
25	July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amounts,
26	or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
27	designated:
28	1. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS ADMINISTRATION
29	For salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous
30	purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
31	equivalent positions:
32	\$ 600,273
33	FTEs 15.00
34	2. IOWA VETERANS HOME
35	For salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous

1	purposes:
2	\$ 3,797,498
3	a. The Iowa veterans home billings involving the department
4	of human services shall be submitted to the department on at
5	least a monthly basis.
6	b. If there is a change in the employer of employees
7	providing services at the Iowa veterans home under a collective
8	bargaining agreement, such employees and the agreement shall
9	be continued by the successor employer as though there had not
10	been a change in employer.
11	c. Within available resources and in conformance with
12	associated state and federal program eligibility requirements,
13	the Iowa veterans home may implement measures to provide
14	financial assistance to or on behalf of veterans or their
15	spouses who are participating in the community reentry program.
16	d. The Iowa veterans home expenditure report shall be
17	submitted monthly to the legislative services agency.
18	3. HOME OWNERSHIP ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
19	For transfer to the Iowa finance authority for the
20	continuation of the home ownership assistance program for
21	persons who are or were eligible members of the armed forces of
22	the United States, pursuant to section 16.54:
23	\$ 1,250,000
24	Sec. 117. LIMITATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONS OF VETERAN
25	AFFAIRS FUND STANDING APPROPRIATIONS. Notwithstanding the
26	standing appropriation in section 35A.16 for the fiscal year
27	beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the amount
28	appropriated from the general fund of the state pursuant to
29	that section for the following designated purposes shall not
30	exceed the following amount:
31	For the county commissions of veteran affairs fund under
3 2	section 35A.16:
33	\$ 495,000
34	DIVISION XXXIV
35	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - FY 2016-2017

1	Sec. 118. TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES BLOCK
2	GRANT. There is appropriated from the fund created in section
3	8.41 to the department of human services for the fiscal year
4	beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, from moneys
5	received under the federal temporary assistance for needy
6	families (TANF) block grant pursuant to the federal Personal
7	Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996,
8	Pub. L. No. 104-193, and successor legislation, the following
9	amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
10	purposes designated:
11	1. To be credited to the family investment program account
12	and used for assistance under the family investment program
13	under chapter 239B:
14	\$ 2,568,498
15	2. To be credited to the family investment program account
16	and used for the job opportunities and basic skills (JOBS)
17	program and implementing family investment agreements in
18	accordance with chapter 239B:
19	\$ 5,069,089
20	3. To be used for the family development and
21	self-sufficiency grant program in accordance with section
22	216A.107:
23	\$ 1,449,490
24	Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in this
25	subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
26	of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain available
27	for expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of
28	the succeeding fiscal year. However, unless such moneys are
29	encumbered or obligated on or before September 30, 2016, the
30	moneys shall revert.
31	4. For field operations:
32	\$ 15,648,116
33	5. For general administration:
34	\$ 1,872,000
35	6. For state child care assistance:

1	\$ 17,523,555
2	a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
3	\$13,164,049 is transferred to the child care and development
4	block grant appropriation made by the Eighty-sixth General
5	Assembly, 2016 Session, for the federal fiscal year beginning
6	October 1, 2016, and ending September 30, 2017. Of this
7	amount, \$100,000 shall be used for provision of educational
8	opportunities to registered child care home providers in order
9	to improve services and programs offered by this category
10	of providers and to increase the number of providers. The
11	department may contract with institutions of higher education
12	or child care resource and referral centers to provide
13	the educational opportunities. Allowable administrative
14	costs under the contracts shall not exceed 5 percent. The
15	application for a grant shall not exceed two pages in length.
16	b. Any funds appropriated in this subsection remaining
17	unallocated shall be used for state child care assistance
18	payments for families who are employed including but not
19	limited to individuals enrolled in the family investment
20	program.
21	7. For distribution to counties and regions through the
22	property tax relief fund for mental health and disability
23	services as provided in an appropriation made for this purpose:
24	\$ 2,447,026
25	8. For child and family services:
26	\$ 16,042,215
27	9. For child abuse prevention grants:
28	\$ 62,500
29	10. For pregnancy prevention grants on the condition that
30	family planning services are funded:
31	\$ 965,034
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	in existence on or before July 1, 2016, if the programs have
	demonstrated positive outcomes. Grants shall be awarded to
35	pregnancy prevention programs which are developed after July

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1 1, 2016, if the programs are based on existing models that
 2 have demonstrated positive outcomes. Grants shall comply with
 3 the requirements provided in 1997 Iowa Acts, chapter 208,
 4 section 14, subsections 1 and 2, including the requirement that
 5 grant programs must emphasize sexual abstinence. Priority in
 6 the awarding of grants shall be given to programs that serve
 7 areas of the state which demonstrate the highest percentage of
 8 unplanned pregnancies of females of childbearing age within the
 9 geographic area to be served by the grant.
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     11. For technology needs and other resources necessary
11 to meet federal welfare reform reporting, tracking, and case
12 management requirements:
13 .....
                                                          518,593
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     12. For the family investment program share of the costs to
15 continue to develop and maintain a new, integrated eligibility
16 determination system:
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                                                        3,327,440
     13. a. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary,
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19 including but not limited to requirements in section 8.41 or
20 provisions in 2015 or 2016 Iowa Acts regarding the receipt and
21 appropriation of federal block grants, federal funds from the
22 temporary assistance for needy families block grant received by
23 the state and not otherwise appropriated in this section and
24 remaining available for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
25 are appropriated to the department of human services to the
26 extent as may be necessary to be used in the following priority
27 order: the family investment program, for state child care
28 assistance program payments for families who are employed, and
29 for the family investment program share of costs to develop and
30 maintain a new, integrated eligibility determination system.
31 The federal funds appropriated in this paragraph "a" shall be
32 expended only after all other funds appropriated in subsection
33 1 for the assistance under the family investment program,
34 in subsection 6 for child care assistance, or in subsection
35 12 for the family investment program share of the costs to
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- 1 continue to develop and maintain a new, integrated eligibility
- 2 determination system, as applicable, have been expended. For
- 3 the purposes of this subsection, the funds appropriated in
- 4 subsection 6, paragraph "a", for transfer to the child care
- 5 and development block grant appropriation are considered fully
- 6 expended when the full amount has been transferred.
- 7 b. The department shall, on a quarterly basis, advise the
- 8 legislative services agency and department of management of
- 9 the amount of funds appropriated in this subsection that was
- 10 expended in the prior quarter.
- 11 14. Of the amounts appropriated in this section, \$6,481,004
- 12 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, is transferred to
- 13 the appropriation of the federal social services block grant
- 14 made to the department of human services for that fiscal year.
- 15. For continuation of the program providing categorical
- 16 eligibility for the food assistance program as specified for
- 17 the program in the section of this division of this 2016 Act
- 18 relating to the family investment program account:
- 19 \$ 12,500
- 20 16. The department may transfer funds allocated in this
- 21 section to the appropriations made in this division of this Act
- 22 for the same fiscal year for general administration and field
- 23 operations for resources necessary to implement and operate the
- 24 services referred to in this section and those funded in the
- 25 appropriation made in this division of this Act for the same
- 26 fiscal year for the family investment program from the general
- 27 fund of the state.
- 28 Sec. 119. FAMILY INVESTMENT PROGRAM ACCOUNT.
- 29 1. Moneys credited to the family investment program (FIP)
- 30 account for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and
- 31 ending June 30, 2017, shall be used to provide assistance in
- 32 accordance with chapter 239B.
- 33 2. The department may use a portion of the moneys credited
- 34 to the FIP account under this section as necessary for
- 35 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes.

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1	3. The department may transfer funds allocated in
2	subsection 4 to the appropriations made in this division of
3	this Act for the same fiscal year for general administration
4	and field operations for resources necessary to implement and
5	operate the family investment program services referred to in
6	this section and those funded in the appropriation made in this
7	division of this Act for the same fiscal year for the family
8	investment program from the general fund of the state.
9	4. Moneys appropriated in this division of this Act and
10	credited to the FIP account for the fiscal year beginning July
11	1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, are allocated as follows:
12	a. To be retained by the department of human services to
13	be used for coordinating with the department of human rights
14	to more effectively serve participants in FIP and other shared
15	clients and to meet federal reporting requirements under the
16	federal temporary assistance for needy families block grant:
17	\$ 10,000
18	b. To the department of human rights for staffing,
19	administration, and implementation of the family development
20	and self-sufficiency grant program in accordance with section
21	216A.107:
22	\$ 3,196,417
23	(1) Of the funds allocated for the family development
24	and self-sufficiency grant program in this paragraph "b",
25	not more than 5 percent of the funds shall be used for the
26	administration of the grant program.
27	(2) The department of human rights may continue to implement
28	the family development and self-sufficiency grant program
29	statewide during fiscal year 2016-2017.
30	(3) The department of human rights may engage in activities
31	to strengthen and improve family outcomes measures and
32	data collection systems under the family development and
33	self-sufficiency grant program.
34	c. For the diversion subaccount of the FIP account:
35	\$ 407,500

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     A portion of the moneys allocated for the subaccount may
 2 be used for field operations, salaries, data management
 3 system development, and implementation costs and support
 4 deemed necessary by the director of human services in order
 5 to administer the FIP diversion program. To the extent
 6 moneys allocated in this paragraph "c" are not deemed by the
 7 department to be necessary to support diversion activities,
 8 such moneys may be used for other efforts intended to increase
 9 engagement by family investment program participants in work,
10 education, or training activities.
     d. For the food assistance employment and training program:
12 .....
      (1) The department shall apply the federal supplemental
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14 nutrition assistance program (SNAP) employment and training
15 state plan in order to maximize to the fullest extent permitted
16 by federal law the use of the 50 percent federal reimbursement
17 provisions for the claiming of allowable federal reimbursement
18 funds from the United States department of agriculture
19 pursuant to the federal SNAP employment and training program
20 for providing education, employment, and training services
21 for eligible food assistance program participants, including
22 but not limited to related dependent care and transportation
23 expenses.
24
      (2) The department shall continue the categorical federal
25 food assistance program eligibility at 160 percent of the
26 federal poverty level and continue to eliminate the asset test
27 from eligibility requirements, consistent with federal food
28 assistance program requirements. The department shall include
29 as many food assistance households as is allowed by federal
30 law. The eligibility provisions shall conform to all federal
31 requirements including requirements addressing individuals who
32 are incarcerated or otherwise ineligible.
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     e. For the JOBS program:
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8,770,199

5. Of the child support collections assigned under FIP,

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- 1 an amount equal to the federal share of support collections
- 2 shall be credited to the child support recovery appropriation
- 3 made in this division of this Act. Of the remainder of the
- 4 assigned child support collections received by the child
- 5 support recovery unit, a portion shall be credited to the FIP
- 6 account, a portion may be used to increase recoveries, and a
- 7 portion may be used to sustain cash flow in the child support
- 8 payments account. If as a consequence of the appropriations
- 9 and allocations made in this section the resulting amounts
- 10 are insufficient to sustain cash assistance payments and meet
- 11 federal maintenance of effort requirements, the department
- 12 shall seek supplemental funding. If child support collections
- 13 assigned under FIP are greater than estimated or are otherwise
- 14 determined not to be required for maintenance of effort, the
- 15 state share of either amount may be transferred to or retained
- 16 in the child support payments account.
- 17 6. The department may adopt emergency rules for the family
- 18 investment, JOBS, food assistance, and medical assistance
- 19 programs if necessary to comply with federal requirements.
- 20 Sec. 120. FAMILY INVESTMENT PROGRAM GENERAL FUND. There
- 21 is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
- 22 department of human services for the fiscal year beginning July
- 23 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following amount, or
- 24 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purpose
- 25 designated:
- To be credited to the family investment program (FIP)
- 27 account and used for family investment program assistance under
- 28 chapter 239B:
- 29 \$ 24,546,938
- 30 1. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$3,701,110 is
- 31 allocated for the JOBS program.
- 2. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$1,756,927 is
- 33 allocated for the family development and self-sufficiency grant
- 34 program.
- 35 3. Notwithstanding section 8.39, for the fiscal year

- 1 beginning July 1, 2016, if necessary to meet federal
- 2 maintenance of effort requirements or to transfer federal
- 3 temporary assistance for needy families block grant funding
- 4 to be used for purposes of the federal social services block
- 5 grant or to meet cash flow needs resulting from delays in
- 6 receiving federal funding or to implement, in accordance with
- 7 this division of this Act, activities currently funded with
- 8 juvenile court services, county, or community moneys and state
- 9 moneys used in combination with such moneys, the department
- 10 of human services may transfer funds within or between any
- 11 of the appropriations made in this division of this Act and
- 12 appropriations in law for the federal social services block
- 13 grant to the department for the following purposes, provided
- 14 that the combined amount of state and federal temporary
- 15 assistance for needy families block grant funding for each
- 16 appropriation remains the same before and after the transfer:
- 17 a. For the family investment program.
- 18 b. For child care assistance.
- 19 c. For child and family services.
- 20 d. For field operations.
- 21 e. For general administration.
- 22 f. For distribution to counties or regions through the
- 23 property tax relief fund for mental health and disability
- 24 services as provided in an appropriation for this purpose.
- 25 This subsection shall not be construed to prohibit the use
- 26 of existing state transfer authority for other purposes. The
- 27 department shall report any transfers made pursuant to this
- 28 subsection to the legislative services agency.
- 29 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$97,839 shall
- 30 be used for continuation of a grant to an Iowa-based nonprofit
- 31 organization with a history of providing tax preparation
- 32 assistance to low-income Iowans in order to expand the usage of
- 33 the earned income tax credit. The purpose of the grant is to
- 34 supply this assistance to underserved areas of the state.
- 35 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$40,000 shall

- 1 be used for the continuation of an unfunded pilot project, as
- 2 defined in 441 IAC 100.1, relating to parental obligations,
- 3 in which the child support recovery unit participates, to
- 4 support the efforts of a nonprofit organization committed to
- 5 strengthening the community through youth development, healthy
- 6 living, and social responsibility headquartered in a county
- 7 with a population over 350,000. The funds allocated in this
- 8 subsection shall be used by the recipient organization to
- 9 develop a larger community effort, through public and private
- 10 partnerships, to support a broad-based multi-county fatherhood
- 11 initiative that promotes payment of child support obligations,
- 12 improved family relationships, and full-time employment.
- 6. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$100,000
- 14 shall be used to continue a grant to a nonprofit organization
- 15 organized under section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code
- 16 to continue a youth development strategy through after-school
- 17 programming that promotes academic success, healthy lifestyles,
- 18 good character, and citizenship. The organization shall meet
- 19 all of the following criteria:
- 20 a. Operate statewide and provide services through more than
- 21 one location.
- 22 b. Provide the after-school programming for students ages
- 23 five through eighteen years of age who are members of families
- 24 eligible for the federal temporary assistance for needy
- 25 families program.
- 26 c. Provide evidence, based on measurable outcomes, that the
- 27 after-school programming provided results in increased student
- 28 achievement.
- 7. The department may transfer funds appropriated in this
- 30 section to the appropriations made in this division of this Act
- 31 for general administration and field operations as necessary
- 32 to administer this section and the overall family investment
- 33 program.
- 34 Sec. 121. CHILD SUPPORT RECOVERY. There is appropriated
- 35 from the general fund of the state to the department of human

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1 services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending
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- 2 June 30, 2017, the following amount, or so much thereof as is
- 3 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:
- 4 For child support recovery, including salaries, support,
- 5 maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
- 6 the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 7 \$ 7,331,687
- 8 FTES 464.00
- 9 1. The department shall expend up to \$12,165, including
- 10 federal financial participation, for the fiscal year beginning
- 11 July 1, 2016, for a child support public awareness campaign.
- 12 The department and the office of the attorney general shall
- 13 cooperate in continuation of the campaign. The public
- 14 awareness campaign shall emphasize, through a variety of
- 15 media activities, the importance of maximum involvement of
- 16 both parents in the lives of their children as well as the
- 17 importance of payment of child support obligations.
- 18 2. Federal access and visitation grant moneys shall be
- 19 issued directly to private not-for-profit agencies that provide
- 20 services designed to increase compliance with the child access
- 21 provisions of court orders, including but not limited to
- 22 neutral visitation sites and mediation services.
- 23 3. The appropriation made to the department for child
- 24 support recovery may be used throughout the fiscal year in the
- 25 manner necessary for purposes of cash flow management, and for
- 26 cash flow management purposes the department may temporarily
- 27 draw more than the amount appropriated, provided the amount
- 28 appropriated is not exceeded at the close of the fiscal year.
- 29 4. With the exception of the funding amount specified, the
- 30 requirements established under 2001 Iowa Acts, chapter 191,
- 31 section 3, subsection 5, paragraph "c", subparagraph (3), shall
- 32 be applicable to parental obligation pilot projects for the
- 33 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017.
- 34 Notwithstanding 441 IAC 100.8, providing for termination of
- 35 rules relating to the pilot projects, the rules shall remain

- 1 in effect until June 30, 2017.
- 2 Sec. 122. HEALTH CARE TRUST FUND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE —
- 3 FY 2016-2017. Any funds remaining in the health care trust
- 4 fund created in section 453A.35A for the fiscal year beginning
- 5 July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, are appropriated to
- 6 the department of human services to supplement the medical
- 7 assistance program appropriations made in this division of this
- 8 Act, for medical assistance reimbursement and associated costs,
- 9 including program administration and costs associated with
- 10 program implementation.
- 11 Sec. 123. MEDICAID FRAUD FUND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FY
- 12 2016-2017. Any funds remaining in the Medicaid fraud fund
- 13 created in section 249A.50 for the fiscal year beginning
- 14 July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, are appropriated to
- 15 the department of human services to supplement the medical
- 16 assistance appropriations made in this division of this Act,
- 17 for medical assistance reimbursement and associated costs,
- 18 including program administration and costs associated with
- 19 program implementation.
- 20 Sec. 124. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE.
- 21 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 22 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 23 beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
- 24 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 25 purpose designated:
- 26 For medical assistance program reimbursement and associated
- 27 costs as specifically provided in the reimbursement
- 28 methodologies in effect on June 30, 2016, except as otherwise
- 29 expressly authorized by law, including reimbursement for
- 30 abortion services which shall be available under the medical
- 31 assistance program only for those abortions which are medically
- 32 necessary:
- 33 \$673,176,820
- 34 2. Medically necessary abortions are those performed under
- 35 any of the following conditions:

- 1 a. The attending physician certifies that continuing the
- 2 pregnancy would endanger the life of the pregnant woman.
- 3 b. The attending physician certifies that the fetus is
- 4 physically deformed, mentally deficient, or afflicted with a
- 5 congenital illness.
- 6 c. The pregnancy is the result of a rape which is reported
- 7 within 45 days of the incident to a law enforcement agency or
- 8 public or private health agency which may include a family
- 9 physician.
- 10 d. The pregnancy is the result of incest which is reported
- 11 within 150 days of the incident to a law enforcement agency
- 12 or public or private health agency which may include a family
- 13 physician.
- e. Any spontaneous abortion, commonly known as a
- 15 miscarriage, if not all of the products of conception are
- 16 expelled.
- 17 3. a. Iowans support reducing the number of abortions
- 18 performed in our state. For an abortion covered under the
- 19 program, except in the case of a medical emergency, as defined
- 20 in section 135L.1, for any woman, the physician shall certify
- 21 both of the following:
- 22 (1) That the woman has been given the opportunity to view an
- 23 ultrasound image of the fetus as part of the standard of care
- 24 before an abortion is performed.
- 25 (2) That the woman has been provided information regarding
- 26 the options relative to a pregnancy, including continuing the
- 27 pregnancy to term and retaining parental rights following the
- 28 child's birth, continuing the pregnancy to term and placing the
- 29 child for adoption, and terminating the pregnancy.
- 30 b. The provisions of this section relating to abortions
- 31 shall also apply to the Iowa health and wellness plan created
- 32 pursuant to chapter 249N.
- 33 4. The department shall utilize not more than \$30,000 of
- 34 the funds appropriated in this section to continue the AIDS/HIV
- 35 health insurance premium payment program as established in 1992

- 1 Iowa Acts, Second Extraordinary Session, chapter 1001, section
- 2 409, subsection 6. Of the funds allocated in this subsection,
- 3 not more than \$2,500 may be expended for administrative
- 4 purposes.
- 5. Of the funds appropriated in this Act to the department
- 6 of public health for addictive disorders, \$475,000 for
- 7 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, is transferred
- 8 to the department of human services for an integrated
- 9 substance-related disorder managed care system. The department
- 10 shall not assume management of the substance-related disorder
- 11 system in place of the managed care contractor unless such
- 12 a change in approach is specifically authorized in law.
- 13 The departments of human services and public health shall
- 14 work together to maintain the level of mental health and
- 15 substance-related disorder treatment services provided by the
- 16 managed care contractor through the Iowa plan for behavioral
- 17 health. Each department shall take the steps necessary to
- 18 continue the federal waivers as necessary to maintain the level
- 19 of services.
- 20 6. a. The department shall aggressively pursue options for
- 21 providing medical assistance or other assistance to individuals
- 22 with special needs who become ineligible to continue receiving
- 23 services under the early and periodic screening, diagnostic,
- 24 and treatment program under the medical assistance program
- 25 due to becoming 21 years of age who have been approved for
- 26 additional assistance through the department's exception to
- 27 policy provisions, but who have health care needs in excess
- 28 of the funding available through the exception to policy
- 29 provisions.
- 30 b. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$50,000
- 31 shall be used for participation in one or more pilot projects
- 32 operated by a private provider to allow the individual or
- 33 individuals to receive service in the community in accordance
- 34 with principles established in Olmstead v. L.C., 527 U.S. 581
- 35 (1999), for the purpose of providing medical assistance or

- 1 other assistance to individuals with special needs who become
- 2 ineligible to continue receiving services under the early and
- 3 periodic screening, diagnostic, and treatment program under
- 4 the medical assistance program due to becoming 21 years of
- 5 age who have been approved for additional assistance through
- 6 the department's exception to policy provisions, but who have
- 7 health care needs in excess of the funding available through
- 8 the exception to the policy provisions.
- 9 7. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to
- 10 \$1,525,041 may be transferred to the field operations or
- 11 general administration appropriations in this division of this
- 12 Act for operational costs associated with Part D of the federal
- 13 Medicare Prescription Drug Improvement and Modernization Act
- 14 of 2003, Pub. L. No. 108-173.
- 8. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to \$221,050
- 16 may be transferred to the appropriation in this division
- 17 of this Act for medical contracts to be used for clinical
- 18 assessment services and prior authorization of services.
- 19 9. A portion of the funds appropriated in this section
- 20 may be transferred to the appropriations in this division of
- 21 this Act for general administration, medical contracts, the
- 22 children's health insurance program, or field operations to be
- 23 used for the state match cost to comply with the payment error
- 24 rate measurement (PERM) program for both the medical assistance
- 25 and children's health insurance programs as developed by the
- 26 centers for Medicare and Medicaid services of the United States
- 27 department of health and human services to comply with the
- 28 federal Improper Payments Information Act of 2002, Pub. L. No.
- 29 107-300.
- 30 10. The department shall continue to implement the
- 31 recommendations of the assuring better child health and
- 32 development initiative II (ABCDII) clinical panel to the
- 33 Iowa early and periodic screening, diagnostic, and treatment
- 34 services healthy mental development collaborative board
- 35 regarding changes to billing procedures, codes, and eligible

1 service providers.

- 2 ll. Of the funds appropriated in this section, a sufficient
- 3 amount is allocated to supplement the incomes of residents of
- 4 nursing facilities, intermediate care facilities for persons
- 5 with mental illness, and intermediate care facilities for
- 6 persons with an intellectual disability, with incomes of less
- 7 than \$50 in the amount necessary for the residents to receive a
- 8 personal needs allowance of \$50 per month pursuant to section
- 9 249A.30A.
- 10 12. Of the funds appropriated in this section, the following
- 11 amounts are transferred to the appropriations made in this
- 12 division of this Act for the state mental health institutes:
- a. Cherokee mental health institute..... \$ 4,549,213
- b. Clarinda mental health institute..... \$ 988,653
- c. Independence mental health institute..... \$ 4,522,947
- 16 13. a. Of the funds appropriated in this section,
- 17 \$4,298,325 is allocated for the state match for a
- 18 disproportionate share hospital payment of \$9,566,715 to
- 19 hospitals that meet both of the conditions specified in
- 20 subparagraphs (1) and (2). In addition, the hospitals that
- 21 meet the conditions specified shall either certify public
- 22 expenditures or transfer to the medical assistance program
- 23 an amount equal to provide the nonfederal share for a
- 24 disproportionate share hospital payment of \$3,750,000. The
- 25 hospitals that meet the conditions specified shall receive and
- 26 retain 100 percent of the total disproportionate share hospital
- 27 payment of \$13,316,715.
- 28 (1) The hospital qualifies for disproportionate share and
- 29 graduate medical education payments.
- 30 (2) The hospital is an Iowa state-owned hospital with more
- 31 than 500 beds and eight or more distinct residency specialty
- 32 or subspecialty programs recognized by the American college of
- 33 graduate medical education.
- 34 b. Distribution of the disproportionate share payments
- 35 shall be made on a monthly basis. The total amount of

- 1 disproportionate share payments including graduate medical
- 2 education, enhanced disproportionate share, and Iowa
- 3 state-owned teaching hospital payments shall not exceed the
- 4 amount of the state's allotment under Pub. L. No. 102-234.
- 5 In addition, the total amount of all disproportionate
- 6 share payments shall not exceed the hospital-specific
- 7 disproportionate share limits under Pub. L. No. 103-66.
- 8 c. The university of Iowa hospitals and clinics shall either
- 9 certify public expenditures or transfer to the appropriations
- 10 made in this division of this Act for medical assistance an
- 11 amount equal to provide the nonfederal share for increased
- 12 medical assistance payments for inpatient and outpatient
- 13 hospital services of \$4,950,000. The university of Iowa
- 14 hospitals and clinics shall receive and retain 100 percent of
- 15 the total increase in medical assistance payments.
- 16 d. Program payments for disproportionate share hospitals
- 17 and graduate medical education, and the upper payment limits
- 18 applicable to these programs shall be held harmless from the
- 19 impacts of Medicaid managed care and the governor's Medicaid
- 20 modernization initiative. Payment methodologies utilized
- 21 for these programs may be adjusted or converted to other
- 22 methodologies or payment types in order to comply with this
- 23 hold harmless requirement.
- 24 14. One hundred percent of the nonfederal share of payments
- 25 to area education agencies that are medical assistance
- 26 providers for medical assistance-covered services provided to
- 27 medical assistance-covered children, shall be made from the
- 28 appropriation made in this section.
- 29 15. Any new or renewed contract entered into by the
- 30 department with a third party to administer behavioral health
- 31 services under the medical assistance program shall provide
- 32 that any interest earned on payments from the state during
- 33 the state fiscal year shall be remitted to the department
- 34 and treated as recoveries to offset the costs of the medical
- 35 assistance program.

- 1 l6. A portion of the funds appropriated in this section
- 2 may be transferred to the appropriation in this division of
- 3 this Act for medical contracts to be used for administrative
- 4 activities associated with the money follows the person
- 5 demonstration project.
- 6 17. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$174,506
- 7 shall be used for the administration of the health insurance
- 8 premium payment program, including salaries, support,
- 9 maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes.
- 10 18. a. The department may increase the amounts allocated
- 11 for salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes
- 12 associated with the medical assistance program, as necessary,
- 13 to implement cost containment strategies. The department shall
- 14 report any such increase to the legislative services agency and
- 15 the department of management.
- 16 b. If the savings to the medical assistance program from
- 17 cost containment efforts exceed the cost for the fiscal
- 18 year beginning July 1, 2016, the department may transfer any
- 19 savings generated for the fiscal year due to medical assistance
- 20 program cost containment efforts to the appropriation
- 21 made in this division of this Act for medical contracts or
- 22 general administration to defray the increased contract costs
- 23 associated with implementing such efforts.
- 24 c. The department of human services shall not implement
- 25 the following cost containment measures as recommended by the
- 26 governor for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016:
- 27 (1) A measure to provide uniform rates of \$.575 per mile
- 28 based on the 2015 Internal Revenue Service mileage rate and
- 29 of \$9.29, the current statewide average, per one-way trip for
- 30 Medicaid program home and community-based services waivers.
- 31 (2) A measure to cap the total costs of all services
- 32 received by a recipient of the home and community-based
- 33 services waiver for individuals with an intellectual disability
- 34 at the daily intermediate care facility for persons with an
- 35 intellectual disability (ICF/ID) per diem rate of \$346.39 per

- 1 day based on the 80th percentile of all ICF/ID rates.
- 2 (3) A measure to align individual requests for exceptions to
- 3 policy with the capped total cost of services for a recipient
- 4 of the home and community-based services waiver for individuals
- 5 with an intellectual disability as computed under subparagraph
- 6 (2).
- 7 (4) A measure to utilize the supports intensity scale
- 8 to determine payment amounts and a tiered payment system
- 9 for the services provided to adults served under the home
- 10 and community-based services waiver for individuals with an
- 11 intellectual disability.
- 12 (5) A measure to reallocate funding for community-based
- 13 systems of care to instead support integrated health homes.
- 14 (6) A measure to increase the university of Iowa hospitals
- 15 and clinics state share responsibility for the supplemental
- 16 disproportionate share hospital payment to the university of
- 17 Iowa hospitals and clinics for the fiscal year beginning July
- 18 1, 2016.
- 19 d. The department shall report the implementation of
- 20 any cost containment strategies under this subsection to
- 21 the individuals specified in this division of this Act for
- 22 submission of reports on a quarterly basis.
- 23 19. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending
- 24 June 30, 2017, the replacement generation tax revenues required
- 25 to be deposited in the property tax relief fund pursuant to
- 26 section 437A.8, subsection 4, paragraph "d", and section
- 27 437A.15, subsection 3, paragraph "f", shall instead be credited
- 28 to and supplement the appropriation made in this section and
- 29 used for the allocations made in this section.
- 30 20. The department shall continue to administer the state
- 31 balancing incentive payments program as specified in 2012 Iowa
- 32 Acts, chapter 1133, section 14.
- 33 21. a. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$450,000
- 34 shall be used for continued implementation of the children's
- 35 mental health home project proposed by the department of human

- 1 services and reported to the general assembly's mental health
- 2 and disability services study committee in December 2011. Of
- 3 this amount, up to \$25,000 may be transferred by the department
- 4 to the appropriation made in this division of this Act to the
- 5 department for the same fiscal year for general administration
- 6 to be used for associated administrative expenses and for not
- 7 more than one full-time equivalent position, in addition to
- 8 those authorized for the same fiscal year, to be assigned to
- 9 implementing the project.
- 10 b. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to \$200,000
- 11 may be transferred by the department to the appropriation made
- 12 to the department in this division of this Act for the same
- 13 fiscal year for Medicaid program-related general administration
- 14 planning and implementation activities. The funds may be used
- 15 for contracts or for personnel in addition to the amounts
- 16 appropriated for and the positions authorized for general
- 17 administration for the fiscal year.
- 18 c. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to
- 19 \$1,500,000 may be transferred by the department to the
- 20 appropriations made in this division of this Act for the same
- 21 fiscal year for general administration or medical contracts
- 22 to be used to support the development and implementation of
- 23 standardized assessment tools for persons with mental illness,
- 24 an intellectual disability, a developmental disability, or a
- 25 brain injury.
- 26 22. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$125,000
- 27 shall be used for lodging expenses associated with care
- 28 provided at the university of Iowa hospitals and clinics for
- 29 patients with cancer whose travel distance is 30 miles or more
- 30 and whose income is at or below 200 percent of the federal
- 31 poverty level as defined by the most recently revised poverty
- 32 income guidelines published by the United States department of
- 33 health and human services. The department of human services
- 34 shall establish the maximum number of overnight stays and the
- 35 maximum rate reimbursed for overnight lodging, which may be

- 1 based on the state employee rate established by the department
- 2 of administrative services. The funds allocated in this
- 3 subsection shall not be used as nonfederal share matching
- 4 funds.
- 5 23. a. For inpatient and outpatient services provided by
- 6 hospitals on or after July 1, 2016, the department of human
- 7 services shall continue to recalculate and prospectively
- 8 apply an updated cost-to-charge ratio upon the request of a
- 9 hospital to implement price or charge reductions, if all of the
- 10 following criteria are met:
- 11 (1) The recalculation of an updated cost-to-charge ratio is
- 12 budget neutral to the state funding amount appropriated for the
- 13 respective fiscal year and maintains budget neutral payments or
- 14 revenue to all hospitals.
- 15 (2) The hospital requesting the price or charge reduction
- 16 submits a proforma cost report and charge master that reflects
- 17 the anticipated cost-to-charge reduction.
- 18 b. Based upon the proforma cost report submitted by the
- 19 requesting hospital, the department of human services shall
- 20 prospectively apply the recalculated cost-to-charge ratio as
- 21 appropriate to submitted claims for health care services.
- 22 24. The department of human services shall not adopt
- 23 emergency rules to implement Medicaid managed care or the
- 24 governor's Medicaid modernization initiative on or after July
- 25 1, 2015.
- 26 25. The number of home and community-based services waiver
- 27 slots available during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
- 28 shall not be reduced below the number of such slots available
- 29 on January 1, 2015.
- 30 Sec. 125. MEDICAL CONTRACTS. There is appropriated from the
- 31 general fund of the state to the department of human services
- 32 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30,
- 33 2017, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
- 34 to be used for the purpose designated:
- 35 For medical contracts:

1 \$ 11,076,792

- The department of inspections and appeals shall
- 3 provide all state matching funds for survey and certification
- 4 activities performed by the department of inspections
- 5 and appeals. The department of human services is solely
- 6 responsible for distributing the federal matching funds for
- 7 such activities.
- Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$25,000 shall
- 9 be used for continuation of home and community-based services
- 10 waiver quality assurance programs, including the review and
- 11 streamlining of processes and policies related to oversight and
- 12 quality management to meet state and federal requirements.
- 3. Of the amount appropriated in this section, up to
- 14 \$100,000 may be transferred to the appropriation for general
- 15 administration in this division of this Act to be used for
- 16 additional full-time equivalent positions in the development of
- 17 key health initiatives such as cost containment, development
- 18 and oversight of managed care programs, and development of
- 19 health strategies targeted toward improved quality and reduced
- 20 costs in the Medicaid program.
- 21 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$500,000 shall
- 22 be used for planning and development, in cooperation with the
- 23 department of public health, of a phased-in program to provide
- 24 a dental home for children.
- 25 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$1,000,000
- 26 shall be used for the autism support program created in chapter
- 27 225D.
- 28 Sec. 126. STATE SUPPLEMENTARY ASSISTANCE.
- 29 l. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 30 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 31 beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
- 32 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 33 purpose designated:
- 34 For the state supplementary assistance program:
- 35 \$ 6,498,594

- 2. The department shall increase the personal needs
- 2 allowance for residents of residential care facilities by the
- 3 same percentage and at the same time as federal supplemental
- 4 security income and federal social security benefits are
- 5 increased due to a recognized increase in the cost of living.
- 6 The department may adopt emergency rules to implement this
- 7 subsection.
- If during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
- 9 the department projects that state supplementary assistance
- 10 expenditures for a calendar year will not meet the federal
- ll pass-through requirement specified in Tit. XVI of the federal
- 12 Social Security Act, section 1618, as codified in 42 U.S.C.
- 13 §1382g, the department may take actions including but not
- 14 limited to increasing the personal needs allowance for
- 15 residential care facility residents and making programmatic
- 16 adjustments or upward adjustments of the residential care
- 17 facility or in-home health-related care reimbursement rates
- 18 prescribed in this division of this Act to ensure that federal
- 19 requirements are met. In addition, the department may make
- 20 other programmatic and rate adjustments necessary to remain
- 21 within the amount appropriated in this section while ensuring
- 22 compliance with federal requirements. The department may adopt
- 23 emergency rules to implement the provisions of this subsection.
- 24 Sec. 127. CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM.
- 25 l. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 26 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 27 beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
- 28 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 29 purpose designated:
- 30 For maintenance of the healthy and well kids in Iowa (hawk-i)
- 31 program pursuant to chapter 514I, including supplemental dental
- 32 services, for receipt of federal financial participation under
- 33 Tit. XXI of the federal Social Security Act, which creates the
- 34 children's health insurance program:
- 35 \$ 10,581,922

- 2. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$21,400 is
- 2 allocated for continuation of the contract for outreach with
- 3 the department of public health.
- 4 Sec. 128. CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE. There is appropriated
- 5 from the general fund of the state to the department of human
- 6 services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending
- 7 June 30, 2017, the following amount, or so much thereof as is
- 8 necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:
- 9 For child care programs:
- 10 \$ 28,319,015
- 11 1. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$24,409,301
- 12 shall be used for state child care assistance in accordance
- 13 with section 237A.13.
- 2. Nothing in this section shall be construed or is
- 15 intended as or shall imply a grant of entitlement for services
- 16 to persons who are eligible for assistance due to an income
- 17 level consistent with the waiting list requirements of section
- 18 237A.13. Any state obligation to provide services pursuant to
- 19 this section is limited to the extent of the funds appropriated
- 20 in this section.
- 21 3. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$216,227
- 22 is allocated for the statewide grant program for child care
- 23 resource and referral services under section 237A.26. A list
- 24 of the registered and licensed child care facilities operating
- 25 in the area served by a child care resource and referral
- 26 service shall be made available to the families receiving state
- 27 child care assistance in that area.
- Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$468,487
- 29 is allocated for child care quality improvement initiatives
- 30 including but not limited to the voluntary quality rating
- 31 system in accordance with section 237A.30.
- 32 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$3,175,000
- 33 shall be credited to the early childhood programs grants
- 34 account in the early childhood Iowa fund created in section
- 35 256I.11. The moneys shall be distributed for funding of

- 1 community-based early childhood programs targeted to children
- 2 from birth through five years of age developed by early
- 3 childhood Iowa areas in accordance with approved community
- 4 plans as provided in section 2561.8.
- 5 6. The department may use any of the funds appropriated
- 6 in this section as a match to obtain federal funds for use in
- 7 expanding child care assistance and related programs. For
- 8 the purpose of expenditures of state and federal child care
- 9 funding, funds shall be considered obligated at the time
- 10 expenditures are projected or are allocated to the department's
- 11 service areas. Projections shall be based on current and
- 12 projected caseload growth, current and projected provider
- 13 rates, staffing requirements for eligibility determination
- 14 and management of program requirements including data systems
- 15 management, staffing requirements for administration of the
- 16 program, contractual and grant obligations and any transfers
- 17 to other state agencies, and obligations for decategorization
- 18 or innovation projects.
- 19 7. A portion of the state match for the federal child care
- 20 and development block grant shall be provided as necessary to
- 21 meet federal matching funds requirements through the state
- 22 general fund appropriation made for child development grants
- 23 and other programs for at-risk children in section 279.51.
- 24 8. If a uniform reduction ordered by the governor under
- 25 section 8.31 or other operation of law, transfer, or federal
- 26 funding reduction reduces the appropriation made in this
- 27 section for the fiscal year, the percentage reduction in the
- 28 amount paid out to or on behalf of the families participating
- 29 in the state child care assistance program shall be equal to or
- 30 less than the percentage reduction made for any other purpose
- 31 payable from the appropriation made in this section and the
- 32 federal funding relating to it. The percentage reduction to
- 33 the other allocations made in this section shall be the same as
- 34 the uniform reduction ordered by the governor or the percentage
- 35 change of the federal funding reduction, as applicable.

- 1 If there is an unanticipated increase in federal funding
- 2 provided for state child care assistance, the entire amount
- 3 of the increase shall be used for state child care assistance
- 4 payments. If the appropriations made for purposes of the
- 5 state child care assistance program for the fiscal year are
- 6 determined to be insufficient, it is the intent of the general
- 7 assembly to appropriate sufficient funding for the fiscal year
- 8 in order to avoid establishment of waiting list requirements.
- 9 9. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys advanced for
- 10 purposes of the programs developed by early childhood Iowa
- 11 areas, advanced for purposes of wraparound child care, or
- 12 received from the federal appropriations made for the purposes
- 13 of this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
- 14 close of the fiscal year shall not revert to any fund but shall
- 15 remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated
- 16 until the close of the succeeding fiscal year.
- 17 10. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$50,000
- 18 is transferred to the department of public health to be used
- 19 to continue a program to assist parents in this state with
- 20 costs resulting from the death of a child in accordance with
- 21 this subsection. If it is less costly than administering the
- 22 program directly, the department shall issue a request for
- 23 proposals and issue a grant to an appropriate organization to
- 24 administer the program.
- 25 a. The program funding shall be used to assist parents who
- 26 reside in this state with costs incurred for a funeral, burial
- 27 or cremation, cemetery costs, or grave marker costs associated
- 28 with the unintended death of a child of the parent or a child
- 29 under the care of a guardian or custodian. The department
- 30 shall consider the following eligibility factors in developing
- 31 program requirements:
- 32 (1) The child was a stillborn infant or was less than age
- 33 eighteen at the time of death.
- 34 (2) The request for assistance was approved by the local
- 35 board or department of health or the county general assistance

- 1 director and may have been referred by a local funeral home.
- 2 (3) To be eligible, the parent, quardian, or custodian must
- 3 have an annual household income that is less than 145 percent
- 4 of the federal poverty level based on the number of people
- 5 in the applicant's household as defined by the most recently
- 6 revised poverty income guidelines published by the United
- 7 States department of health and human services.
- 8 (4) The maximum amount of grant assistance provided to a
- 9 parent, guardian, or custodian associated with the death of
- 10 a child is \$2,000. If the death is a multiple death and the
- 11 infants or children are being cremated, or buried together, the
- 12 same limitation applies.
- 13 (5) To the extent the overall amount of assistance received
- 14 by a recipient for the costs addressed under this subsection
- 15 does not exceed the overall total of the costs, the recipient
- 16 may receive other public or private assistance in addition to
- 17 grant assistance under this section.
- 18 b. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys transferred by this
- 19 subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
- 20 of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain available
- 21 for expenditure for the purposes designated until expended.
- 22 Sec. 129. JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS. There is appropriated
- 23 from the general fund of the state to the department of human
- 24 services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending
- 25 June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
- 26 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:
- 27 l. For the costs of security, building and grounds
- 28 maintenance, utilities, salary, and support for the facilities
- 29 located at the Iowa juvenile home at Toledo and for salaries,
- 30 support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not
- 31 more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 32 \$ 186,383
- 33 FTEs 2.00
- 2. For operation of the state training school at Eldora and
- 35 for salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes,

,	and for not many than the following full time control and
	and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
	positions:
3	\$ 6,222,776
4	FTEs 169.30
5	Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$45,575 shall
6	be used for distribution to licensed classroom teachers at this
7	and other institutions under the control of the department of
8	human services based upon the average student yearly enrollment
9	at each institution as determined by the department.
10	Sec. 130. CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES.
11	1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
12	state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
13	beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
	amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
	purpose designated:
16	For child and family services:
	\$ 49,091,090
18	2. Up to \$2,600,000 of the amount of federal temporary
	assistance for needy families block grant funding appropriated
	in this division of this Act for child and family services
	shall be made available for purposes of juvenile delinquent
	graduated sanction services.
23	3. The department may transfer funds appropriated in this
	section as necessary to pay the nonfederal costs of services
	reimbursed under the medical assistance program, state child
	care assistance program, or the family investment program which
	are provided to children who would otherwise receive services
	paid under the appropriation in this section. The department
	may transfer funds appropriated in this section to the
	appropriations made in this division of this Act for general
	administration and for field operations for resources necessary
	to implement and operate the services funded in this section.
33	4. a. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to
	\$17,910,893 is allocated as the statewide expenditure target
35	under section 232.143 for group foster care maintenance and

- 1 services. If the department projects that such expenditures
- 2 for the fiscal year will be less than the target amount
- 3 allocated in this paragraph "a", the department may reallocate
- 4 the excess to provide additional funding for shelter care
- 5 or the child welfare emergency services addressed with the
- 6 allocation for shelter care.
- 7 b. If at any time after September 30, 2016, annualization
- 8 of a service area's current expenditures indicates a service
- 9 area is at risk of exceeding its group foster care expenditure
- 10 target under section 232.143 by more than 5 percent, the
- 11 department and juvenile court services shall examine all
- 12 group foster care placements in that service area in order to
- 13 identify those which might be appropriate for termination.
- 14 In addition, any aftercare services believed to be needed
- 15 for the children whose placements may be terminated shall be
- 16 identified. The department and juvenile court services shall
- 17 initiate action to set dispositional review hearings for the
- 18 placements identified. In such a dispositional review hearing,
- 19 the juvenile court shall determine whether needed aftercare
- 20 services are available and whether termination of the placement
- 21 is in the best interest of the child and the community.
- 22 5. In accordance with the provisions of section 232.188,
- 23 the department shall continue the child welfare and juvenile
- 24 justice funding initiative during fiscal year 2016-2017. Of
- 25 the funds appropriated in this section, \$858,877 is allocated
- 26 specifically for expenditure for fiscal year 2016-2017 through
- 27 the decategorization services funding pools and governance
- 28 boards established pursuant to section 232.188.
- 29 6. A portion of the funds appropriated in this section
- 30 may be used for emergency family assistance to provide other
- 31 resources required for a family participating in a family
- 32 preservation or reunification project or successor project to
- 33 stay together or to be reunified.
- 34 7. Notwithstanding section 234.35 or any other provision
- 35 of law to the contrary, state funding for shelter care and

- 1 the child welfare emergency services contracting implemented
- 2 to provide for or prevent the need for shelter care shall be
- 3 limited to \$4,034,237.
- 4 8. Federal funds received by the state during the fiscal
- 5 year beginning July 1, 2016, as the result of the expenditure
- 6 of state funds appropriated during a previous state fiscal
- 7 year for a service or activity funded under this section are
- 8 appropriated to the department to be used as additional funding
- 9 for services and purposes provided for under this section.
- 10 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys received in accordance
- 11 with this subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at
- 12 the close of the fiscal year shall not revert to any fund but
- 13 shall remain available for the purposes designated until the
- 14 close of the succeeding fiscal year.
- 9. a. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to
- 16 \$1,645,000 is allocated for the payment of the expenses of
- 17 court-ordered services provided to juveniles who are under
- 18 the supervision of juvenile court services, which expenses
- 19 are a charge upon the state pursuant to section 232.141,
- 20 subsection 4. Of the amount allocated in this paragraph "a",
- 21 up to \$778,144 shall be made available to provide school-based
- 22 supervision of children adjudicated under chapter 232, of which
- 23 not more than \$7,500 may be used for the purpose of training.
- 24 A portion of the cost of each school-based liaison officer
- 25 shall be paid by the school district or other funding source as
- 26 approved by the chief juvenile court officer.
- 27 b. Of the funds appropriated in this section, up to \$374,493
- 28 is allocated for the payment of the expenses of court-ordered
- 29 services provided to children who are under the supervision
- 30 of the department, which expenses are a charge upon the state
- 31 pursuant to section 232.141, subsection 4.
- 32 c. Notwithstanding section 232.141 or any other provision
- 33 of law to the contrary, the amounts allocated in this
- 34 subsection shall be distributed to the judicial districts
- 35 as determined by the state court administrator and to the

- 1 department's service areas as determined by the administrator
- 2 of the department of human services' division of child and
- 3 family services. The state court administrator and the
- 4 division administrator shall make the determination of the
- 5 distribution amounts on or before June 15, 2016.
- 6 d. Notwithstanding chapter 232 or any other provision of
- 7 law to the contrary, a district or juvenile court shall not
- 8 order any service which is a charge upon the state pursuant
- 9 to section 232.141 if there are insufficient court-ordered
- 10 services funds available in the district court or departmental
- ll service area distribution amounts to pay for the service. The
- 12 chief juvenile court officer and the departmental service area
- 13 manager shall encourage use of the funds allocated in this
- 14 subsection such that there are sufficient funds to pay for
- 15 all court-related services during the entire year. The chief
- 16 juvenile court officers and departmental service area managers
- 17 shall attempt to anticipate potential surpluses and shortfalls
- 18 in the distribution amounts and shall cooperatively request the
- 19 state court administrator or division administrator to transfer
- 20 funds between the judicial districts' or departmental service
- 21 areas' distribution amounts as prudent.
- 22 e. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary,
- 23 a district or juvenile court shall not order a county to pay
- 24 for any service provided to a juvenile pursuant to an order
- 25 entered under chapter 232 which is a charge upon the state
- 26 under section 232.141, subsection 4.
- 27 f. Of the funds allocated in this subsection, not more than
- 28 \$41,500 may be used by the judicial branch for administration
- 29 of the requirements under this subsection.
- 30 g. Of the funds allocated in this subsection, \$8,500
- 31 shall be used by the department of human services to support
- 32 the interstate commission for juveniles in accordance with
- 33 the interstate compact for juveniles as provided in section
- 34 232.173.
- 35 10. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$4,026,614 is

- 1 allocated for juvenile delinquent graduated sanctions services.
- 2 Any state funds saved as a result of efforts by juvenile court
- 3 services to earn a federal Tit. IV-E match for juvenile court
- 4 services administration may be used for the juvenile delinquent
- 5 graduated sanctions services.
- 6 ll. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$804,143 is
- 7 transferred to the department of public health to be used for
- 8 the child protection center grant program for child protection
- 9 centers located in Iowa in accordance with section 135.118.
- 10 The grant amounts under the program shall be equalized so that
- 11 each center receives a uniform base amount of \$122,500, and
- 12 the remaining funds shall be awarded through a funding formula
- 13 based upon the volume of children served.
- 14 12. If the department receives federal approval to
- 15 implement a waiver under Tit. IV-E of the federal Social
- 16 Security Act to enable providers to serve children who remain
- 17 in the children's families and communities, for purposes of
- 18 eligibility under the medical assistance program through 25
- 19 years of age, children who participate in the waiver shall be
- 20 considered to be placed in foster care.
- 21 13. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$2,012,584 is
- 22 allocated for the preparation for adult living program pursuant
- 23 to section 234.46.
- 24 14. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$260,075
- 25 shall be used for juvenile drug courts. The amount allocated
- 26 in this subsection shall be distributed as follows:
- 27 To the judicial branch for salaries to assist with the
- 28 operation of juvenile drug court programs operated in the
- 29 following jurisdictions:
- 30 a. Marshall county:
- 31 \$ 31,354
- 32 b. Woodbury county:
- 33 \$ 62,841
- 34 c. Polk county:
- 35 \$ 97,946

1	i.	The	third	judicial	district:
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2 \$ 33,967

- 3 e. The eighth judicial district:
- 4 \$ 33,967
- 5 15. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$113,669
- 6 shall be used for the public purpose of continuing a grant to
- 7 a nonprofit human services organization providing services to
- 8 individuals and families in multiple locations in southwest
- 9 Iowa and Nebraska for support of a project providing immediate,
- 10 sensitive support and forensic interviews, medical exams, needs
- ll assessments, and referrals for victims of child abuse and their
- 12 nonoffending family members.
- 13 16. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$150,310
- 14 is allocated for the foster care youth council approach of
- 15 providing a support network to children placed in foster care.
- 16 17. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$101,000 is
- 17 allocated for use pursuant to section 235A.1 for continuation
- 18 of the initiative to address child sexual abuse implemented
- 19 pursuant to 2007 Iowa Acts, chapter 218, section 18, subsection 20 21.
- 21 18. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$315,120 is
- 22 allocated for the community partnership for child protection
- 23 sites.
- 24 19. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$185,625
- 25 is allocated for the department's minority youth and family
- 26 projects under the redesign of the child welfare system.
- 27 20. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$593,298
- 28 is allocated for funding of the community circle of care
- 29 collaboration for children and youth in northeast Iowa.
- 30 21. Of the funds appropriated in this section, at least
- 31 \$73,579 shall be used for the continuation of the child
- 32 welfare provider training academy, a collaboration between the
- 33 coalition for family and children's services in Iowa and the
- 34 department.
- 35 22. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$12,500

- 1 shall be used for the public purpose of continuation of a
- 2 grant to a child welfare services provider headquartered in a
- 3 county with a population between 205,000 and 215,000 in the
- 4 latest certified federal census that provides multiple services
- 5 including but not limited to a psychiatric medical institution
- 6 for children, shelter, residential treatment, after school
- 7 programs, school-based programming, and an Asperger's syndrome
- 8 program, to be used for support services for children with
- 9 autism spectrum disorder and their families.
- 10 23. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$12,500
- 11 shall be used for the public purpose of continuing a grant to
- 12 a hospital-based provider headquartered in a county with a
- 13 population between 90,000 and 95,000 in the latest certified
- 14 federal census that provides multiple services including
- 15 but not limited to diagnostic, therapeutic, and behavioral
- 16 services to individuals with autism spectrum disorder across
- 17 one's lifespan. The grant recipient shall utilize the funds
- 18 to continue the pilot project to determine the necessary
- 19 support services for children with autism spectrum disorder and
- 20 their families to be included in the children's disabilities
- 21 services system. The grant recipient shall submit findings and
- 22 recommendations based upon the results of the pilot project
- 23 to the individuals specified in this division of this Act for
- 24 submission of reports by December 31, 2016.
- 25 24. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$105,936
- 26 shall be used for continuation of the central Iowa system of
- 27 care program grant through June 30, 2017.
- 28 25. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$125,000
- 29 shall be used for the public purpose of the continuation
- 30 and expansion of a system of care program grant implemented
- 31 in Cerro Gordo and Linn counties to utilize a comprehensive
- 32 and long-term approach for helping children and families by
- 33 addressing the key areas in a child's life of childhood basic
- 34 needs, education and work, family, and community.
- 35 26. Of the funds appropriated in this section, at least

- 1 \$12,500 shall be used to continue and to expand the foster
- 2 care respite pilot program in which postsecondary students in
- 3 social work and other human services-related programs receive
- 4 experience by assisting family foster care providers with
- 5 respite and other support.
- 6 27. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$55,000
- 7 shall be used for the public purpose of funding community-based
- 8 services and other supports with a system of care approach
- 9 for children with a serious emotional disturbance and their
- 10 families through a nonprofit provider of child welfare services
- 11 that has been in existence for more than 115 years, is located
- 12 in a county with a population of more than 200,000 but less
- 13 than 220,000 according to the latest census information
- 14 issued by the United States census bureau, is licensed as a
- 15 psychiatric medical institution for children, and was a system
- 16 of care grantee prior to July 1, 2016.
- 17 Sec. 131. ADOPTION SUBSIDY.
- 18 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 19 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 20 beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
- 21 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 22 purpose designated:
- 23 For adoption subsidy payments and services:
- 24 \$ 21,499,143
- 25 2. The department may transfer funds appropriated in
- 26 this section to the appropriation made in this division of
- 27 this Act for general administration for costs paid from the
- 28 appropriation relating to adoption subsidy.
- 29 3. Federal funds received by the state during the
- 30 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, as the result of the
- 31 expenditure of state funds during a previous state fiscal
- 32 year for a service or activity funded under this section are
- 33 appropriated to the department to be used as additional funding
- 34 for the services and activities funded under this section.
- 35 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys received in accordance

- 1 with this subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated
- 2 at the close of the fiscal year shall not revert to any fund
- 3 but shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes
- 4 designated until the close of the succeeding fiscal year.
- 5 Sec. 132. JUVENILE DETENTION HOME FUND. Moneys deposited
- 6 in the juvenile detention home fund created in section 232.142
- 7 during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June
- 8 30, 2017, are appropriated to the department of human services
- 9 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30,
- 10 2017, for distribution of an amount equal to a percentage of
- 11 the costs of the establishment, improvement, operation, and
- 12 maintenance of county or multicounty juvenile detention homes
- 13 in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015. Moneys appropriated
- 14 for distribution in accordance with this section shall be
- 15 allocated among eligible detention homes, prorated on the basis
- 16 of an eligible detention home's proportion of the costs of all
- 17 eligible detention homes in the fiscal year beginning July
- 18 1, 2015. The percentage figure shall be determined by the
- 19 department based on the amount available for distribution for
- 20 the fund. Notwithstanding section 232.142, subsection 3, the
- 21 financial aid payable by the state under that provision for the
- 22 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, shall be limited to the
- 23 amount appropriated for the purposes of this section.
- 24 Sec. 133. FAMILY SUPPORT SUBSIDY PROGRAM.
- 25 l. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 26 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 27 beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
- 28 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 29 purpose designated:
- 30 For the family support subsidy program subject to the
- 31 enrollment restrictions in section 225C.37, subsection 3:
- 32 \$ 536,966
- 33 2. The department shall use at least \$320,750 of the moneys
- 34 appropriated in this section for the family support center
- 35 component of the comprehensive family support program under

1	section 225C.47. Not more than \$12,500 of the amount allocated
2	in this subsection shall be used for administrative costs.
3	3. If at any time during the fiscal year, the amount of
4	funding available for the family support subsidy program
5	is reduced from the amount initially used to establish the
6	figure for the number of family members for whom a subsidy
7	is to be provided at any one time during the fiscal year,
8	notwithstanding section 225C.38, subsection 2, the department
9	shall revise the figure as necessary to conform to the amount
10	of funding available.
11	Sec. 134. CONNER DECREE. There is appropriated from the
12	general fund of the state to the department of human services
13	for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30,
14	2017, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
15	to be used for the purpose designated:
16	For building community capacity through the coordination
17	and provision of training opportunities in accordance with the
18	consent decree of Conner v. Branstad, No. 4-86-CV-30871(S.D.
19	Iowa, July 14, 1994):
20	\$ 16,816
21	Sec. 135. MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTES. There is appropriated
22	from the general fund of the state to the department of human
23	services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending
24	June 30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
25	necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:
26	1. For the state mental health institute at Cherokee for
27	salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and
28	for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
29	\$ 2,772,808
30	FTEs 169.20
31	2. For the state mental health institute at Clarinda for
32	salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and
33	for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
34	\$ 906,450
35	FTEs 86.10

1	3. For the state mental health institute at Independence for
2	salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and
3	for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
4	\$ 5,195,387
5	FTEs 233.00
6	Sec. 136. STATE RESOURCE CENTERS.
7	1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
8	state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
9	beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
10	amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
11	purposes designated:
12	a. For the state resource center at Glenwood for salaries,
13	support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
14	\$ 11,012,241
15	b. For the state resource center at Woodward for salaries,
16	support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
17	\$ 7,466,903
18	2. The department may continue to bill for state resource
19	center services utilizing a scope of services approach used for
20	private providers of intermediate care facilities for persons
	with an intellectual disability services, in a manner which
22	does not shift costs between the medical assistance program,
23	counties, or other sources of funding for the state resource
24	centers.
25	3. The state resource centers may expand the time-limited
	assessment and respite services during the fiscal year.
27	4. If the department's administration and the department
	of management concur with a finding by a state resource
	center's superintendent that projected revenues can reasonably
	be expected to pay the salary and support costs for a new
	employee position, or that such costs for adding a particular
	number of new positions for the fiscal year would be less
	than the overtime costs if new positions would not be added,
	the superintendent may add the new position or positions. If
35	the vacant positions available to a resource center do not

- 1 include the position classification desired to be filled, the
- 2 state resource center's superintendent may reclassify any
- 3 vacant position as necessary to fill the desired position. The
- 4 superintendents of the state resource centers may, by mutual
- 5 agreement, pool vacant positions and position classifications
- 6 during the course of the fiscal year in order to assist one
- 7 another in filling necessary positions.
- 8 5. If existing capacity limitations are reached in
- 9 operating units, a waiting list is in effect for a service or
- 10 a special need for which a payment source or other funding
- 11 is available for the service or to address the special need,
- 12 and facilities for the service or to address the special need
- 13 can be provided within the available payment source or other
- 14 funding, the superintendent of a state resource center may
- 15 authorize opening not more than two units or other facilities
- 16 and begin implementing the service or addressing the special
- 17 need during fiscal year 2016-2017.
- 18 Sec. 137. SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATORS.
- 19 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
- 20 state to the department of human services for the fiscal year
- 21 beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
- 22 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 23 purpose designated:
- 24 For costs associated with the commitment and treatment of
- 25 sexually violent predators in the unit located at the state
- 26 mental health institute at Cherokee, including costs of legal
- 27 services and other associated costs, including salaries,
- 28 support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not
- 29 more than the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 30 \$ 4,946,540
- 31 FTEs 132.50
- Unless specifically prohibited by law, if the amount
- 33 charged provides for recoupment of at least the entire amount
- 34 of direct and indirect costs, the department of human services
- 35 may contract with other states to provide care and treatment

- 1 of persons placed by the other states at the unit for sexually
- 2 violent predators at Cherokee. The moneys received under
- 3 such a contract shall be considered to be repayment receipts
- 4 and used for the purposes of the appropriation made in this
- 5 section.
- 6 Sec. 138. FIELD OPERATIONS. There is appropriated from the
- 7 general fund of the state to the department of human services
- 8 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30,
- 9 2017, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
- 10 to be used for the purposes designated:
- 11 For field operations, including salaries, support,
- 12 maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
- 13 the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 14 \$ 29,460,488
- 15 FTEs 1,837.00
- 16 l. As a condition of this appropriation, the department
- 17 shall make every possible effort to fill the entire number of
- 18 positions authorized by this section and, unless specifically
- 19 provided otherwise by an applicable collective bargaining
- 20 agreement, the department is not subject to any approval
- 21 requirement external to the department to fill a field
- 22 operations vacancy within the number of full-time equivalent
- 23 positions authorized by this section. The department shall
- 24 report on the first of each month to the chairpersons and
- 25 ranking members of the appropriations committees of the senate
- 26 and house of representatives, and the persons designated by
- 27 this Act for submission of reports concerning the status of
- 28 filling the positions.
- 29 2. Priority in filling full-time equivalent positions
- 30 shall be given to those positions related to child protection
- 31 services and eligibility determination for low-income families.
- 32 Sec. 139. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION. There is appropriated
- 33 from the general fund of the state to the department of human
- 34 services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending
- 35 June 30, 2017, the following amount, or so much thereof as is

1 necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:

- 2 For general administration, including salaries, support,
- 3 maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than
- 4 the following full-time equivalent positions:
- 5 \$ 7,580,871
- 6 FTEs 309.00
- 7 1. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$19,272 is
- 8 allocated for the prevention of disabilities policy council
- 9 created in section 225B.103, if enacted in this or any other
- 10 Act.
- 11 2. The department shall report at least monthly to the
- 12 legislative services agency concerning the department's
- 13 operational and program expenditures.
- 3. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$75,000 shall
- 15 be used to continue the contract for the provision of a program
- 16 to provide technical assistance, support, and consultation to
- 17 providers of habilitation services and home and community-based
- 18 services waiver services for adults with disabilities under the
- 19 medical assistance program.
- 20 4. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$25,000
- 21 is transferred to the Iowa finance authority to be used
- 22 for administrative support of the council on homelessness
- 23 established in section 16.2D and for the council to fulfill its
- 24 duties in addressing and reducing homelessness in the state.
- 25 5. Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$125,000
- 26 is allocated to an Iowa food bank association selected by
- 27 the department for the purchase of food on behalf of an Iowa
- 28 emergency feeding organization or for the distribution of
- 29 moneys to the Iowa emergency feeding organization for the
- 30 purchase of food. The moneys allocated in this subsection
- 31 shall be allocated only to the extent that the allocated moneys
- 32 are matched on a dollar-for-dollar basis. Notwithstanding
- 33 section 8.33, moneys allocated in this subsection that remain
- 34 unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year
- 35 shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for

1 the purposes designated until the close of the following fiscal
2 year.

- Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$125,000 shall
- 4 be transferred to and deposited in the administrative fund of
- 5 the Iowa ABLE savings plan trust created in section 12I.4, if
- 6 enacted in this or any other Act, to be used for implementation
- 7 and administration activities of the Iowa ABLE savings plan
- 8 trust.
- 9 Sec. 140. VOLUNTEERS. There is appropriated from the
- 10 general fund of the state to the department of human services
- 11 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30,
- 12 2017, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
- 13 to be used for the purpose designated:
- 14 For development and coordination of volunteer services:
- 15 \$ 42,343
- 16 Sec. 141. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, STATE SUPPLEMENTARY
- 17 ASSISTANCE, AND SOCIAL SERVICE PROVIDERS REIMBURSED UNDER THE
- 18 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.
- 19 1. a. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
- 20 the total state funding amount for the nursing facility budget
- 21 shall not exceed \$160,950,003.
- 22 (2) The department, in cooperation with nursing facility
- 23 representatives, shall review projections for state funding
- 24 expenditures for reimbursement of nursing facilities on a
- 25 quarterly basis and the department shall determine if an
- 26 adjustment to the medical assistance reimbursement rate is
- 27 necessary in order to provide reimbursement within the state
- 28 funding amount for the fiscal year. Notwithstanding 2001
- 29 Iowa Acts, chapter 192, section 4, subsection 2, paragraph
- 30 "c", and subsection 3, paragraph "a", subparagraph (2),
- 31 if the state funding expenditures for the nursing facility
- 32 budget for the fiscal year are projected to exceed the amount
- 33 specified in subparagraph (1), the department shall adjust
- 34 the reimbursement for nursing facilities reimbursed under the
- 35 case-mix reimbursement system to maintain expenditures of the

- 1 nursing facility budget within the specified amount for the 2 fiscal year.
- 3 (3) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, special 4 population nursing facilities shall be reimbursed in accordance 5 with the methodology in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 6 (4) For any open or unsettled nursing facility cost report
- 7 for a fiscal year prior to and including the fiscal year
- 8 beginning July 1, 2015, including any cost report remanded on
- 9 judicial review for inclusion of prescription drug, laboratory,
- 10 or x-ray costs, the department shall offset all reported
- 11 prescription drug, laboratory, and x-ray costs with any revenue
- 12 received from Medicare or other revenue source for any purpose.
- 13 For purposes of this subparagraph, a nursing facility cost
- 14 report is not considered open or unsettled if the facility did
- 15 not initiate an administrative appeal under chapter 17A or if
- 16 any appeal rights initiated have been exhausted.
- 17 b. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
- 18 the department shall establish the pharmacy dispensing fee
- 19 reimbursement at \$11.73 per prescription, until a cost of
- 20 dispensing survey is completed. The actual dispensing fee
- 21 shall be determined by a cost of dispensing survey performed
- 22 by the department and required to be completed by all medical
- 23 assistance program participating pharmacies every two years,
- 24 adjusted as necessary to maintain expenditures within the
- 25 amount appropriated to the department for this purpose for the
- 26 fiscal year.
- 27 (2) The department shall utilize an average acquisition
- 28 cost reimbursement methodology for all drugs covered under the
- 29 medical assistance program in accordance with 2012 Iowa Acts,
- 30 chapter 1133, section 33.
- 31 (3) Notwithstanding subparagraph (2), if the centers for
- 32 Medicare and Medicaid services of the United States department
- 33 of health and human services (CMS) requires, as a condition
- 34 of federal Medicaid funding, that the department implement an
- 35 aggregate federal upper limit (FUL) for drug reimbursement

- 1 based on the average manufacturer's price (AMP), the department
- 2 may utilize a reimbursement methodology for all drugs covered
- 3 under the Medicaid program based on the national average drug
- 4 acquisition cost (NADAC) methodology published by CMS, in order
- 5 to assure compliance with the aggregate FUL, minimize outcomes
- 6 of drug reimbursements below pharmacy acquisition costs, limit
- 7 administrative costs, and minimize any change in the aggregate
- 8 reimbursement for drugs. The department may adopt emergency
- 9 rules to implement this subparagraph.
- 10 c. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
- 11 reimbursement rates for outpatient hospital services shall
- 12 remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2016, subject
- 13 to Medicaid program upper payment limit rules and adjusted
- 14 as necessary to maintain expenditures within the amount
- 15 appropriated to the department for this purpose for the fiscal
- 16 year.
- 17 (2) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
- 18 reimbursement rates for inpatient hospital services shall
- 19 remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2016, subject
- 20 to Medicaid program upper payment limit rules and adjusted
- 21 as necessary to maintain expenditures within the amount
- 22 appropriated to the department for this purpose for the fiscal
- 23 year.
- 24 (3) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the graduate
- 25 medical education and disproportionate share hospital fund
- 26 shall remain at the amount in effect on June 30, 2016, except
- 27 that the portion of the fund attributable to graduate medical
- 28 education shall be reduced in an amount that reflects the
- 29 elimination of graduate medical education payments made to
- 30 out-of-state hospitals.
- 31 (4) In order to ensure the efficient use of limited state
- 32 funds in procuring health care services for low-income Iowans,
- 33 funds appropriated in this Act for hospital services shall
- 34 not be used for activities which would be excluded from a
- 35 determination of reasonable costs under the federal Medicare

- 1 program pursuant to 42 U.S.C. \$1395x(v)(1)(N).
- d. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, reimbursement
- 3 rates for rural health clinics, hospices, and acute mental
- 4 hospitals shall be increased in accordance with increases under
- 5 the federal Medicare program or as supported by their Medicare
- 6 audited costs.
- 7 e. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, independent
- 8 laboratories and rehabilitation agencies shall be reimbursed
- 9 using the same methodology in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 10 f. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
- 11 reimbursement rates for home health agencies shall continue to
- 12 be based on the Medicare low utilization payment adjustment
- 13 (LUPA) methodology with state geographic wage adjustments, and
- 14 updated to reflect the most recent Medicare LUPA rates.
- 15 (2) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, rates for
- 16 private duty nursing and personal care services under the early
- 17 and periodic screening, diagnostic, and treatment program
- 18 benefit shall be calculated based on the methodology in effect
- 19 on June 30, 2016.
- 20 g. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, federally
- 21 qualified health centers shall receive cost-based reimbursement
- 22 for 100 percent of the reasonable costs for the provision of
- 23 services to recipients of medical assistance.
- 24 h. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 25 reimbursement rates for dental services shall remain at the
- 26 rates in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 27 i. (1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016,
- 28 state-owned psychiatric medical institutions for children shall
- 29 receive cost-based reimbursement for 100 percent of the actual
- 30 and allowable costs for the provision of services to recipients
- 31 of medical assistance.
- 32 (2) For the nonstate-owned psychiatric medical institutions
- 33 for children, reimbursement rates shall be based on the
- 34 reimbursement methodology developed by the department as
- 35 required for federal compliance.

- 1 (3) As a condition of participation in the medical
- 2 assistance program, enrolled providers shall accept the medical
- 3 assistance reimbursement rate for any covered goods or services
- 4 provided to recipients of medical assistance who are children
- 5 under the custody of a psychiatric medical institution for
- 6 children.
- 7 j. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, unless
- 8 otherwise specified in this Act, all noninstitutional medical
- 9 assistance provider reimbursement rates shall remain at the
- 10 rates in effect on June 30, 2016, except for area education
- 11 agencies, local education agencies, infant and toddler
- 12 services providers, home and community-based services providers
- 13 including consumer-directed attendant care providers under a
- 14 section 1915(c) or 1915(i) waiver, targeted case management
- 15 providers, and those providers whose rates are required to be
- 16 determined pursuant to section 249A.20.
- 17 k. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, for the
- 18 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the reimbursement rate for
- 19 anesthesiologists shall remain at the rate in effect on June
- 20 30, 2016.
- 21 l. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the average
- 22 reimbursement rate for health care providers eligible for use
- 23 of the federal Medicare resource-based relative value scale
- 24 reimbursement methodology under section 249A.20 shall remain
- 25 at the rate in effect on June 30, 2016; however, this rate
- 26 shall not exceed the maximum level authorized by the federal
- 27 government.
- 28 m. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 29 reimbursement rate for residential care facilities shall not
- 30 be less than the minimum payment level as established by the
- 31 federal government to meet the federally mandated maintenance
- 32 of effort requirement. The flat reimbursement rate for
- 33 facilities electing not to file annual cost reports shall not
- 34 be less than the minimum payment level as established by the
- 35 federal government to meet the federally mandated maintenance

- 1 of effort requirement.
- 2 n. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 3 reimbursement rates for inpatient mental health services
- 4 provided at hospitals shall remain at the rates in effect on
- 5 June 30, 2016, subject to Medicaid program upper payment limit
- 6 rules; and psychiatrists shall be reimbursed at the medical
- 7 assistance program fee-for-service rate in effect on June 30,
- 8 2016.
- 9 o. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, community
- 10 mental health centers may choose to be reimbursed for the
- ll services provided to recipients of medical assistance through
- 12 either of the following options:
- 13 (1) For 100 percent of the reasonable costs of the services.
- 14 (2) In accordance with the alternative reimbursement rate
- 15 methodology established by the medical assistance program's
- 16 managed care contractor for mental health services and approved
- 17 by the department of human services.
- 18 p. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 19 reimbursement rate for providers of family planning services
- 20 that are eligible to receive a 90 percent federal match shall
- 21 remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 22 q. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the upper
- 23 limits on reimbursement rates for providers of home and
- 24 community-based services waiver services shall remain at the
- 25 limits in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 26 r. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 27 reimbursement rates for emergency medical service providers
- 28 shall remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 29 s. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, reimbursement
- 30 rates for substance-related disorder treatment programs
- 31 licensed under section 125.13 shall remain at the rates in
- 32 effect on June 30, 2016.
- 33 2. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 34 reimbursement rate for providers reimbursed under the
- 35 in-home-related care program shall not be less than the minimum

1 payment level as established by the federal government to meet

- 2 the federally mandated maintenance of effort requirement.
- Unless otherwise directed in this section, when the
- 4 department's reimbursement methodology for any provider
- 5 reimbursed in accordance with this section includes an
- 6 inflation factor, this factor shall not exceed the amount
- 7 by which the consumer price index for all urban consumers
- 8 increased during the calendar year ending December 31, 2002.
- 9 4. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the foster
- 10 family basic daily maintenance rate and the maximum adoption
- 11 subsidy rate for children ages 0 through 5 years shall be
- 12 \$16.78, the rate for children ages 6 through 11 years shall be
- 13 \$17.45, the rate for children ages 12 through 15 years shall
- 14 be \$19.10, and the rate for children and young adults ages 16
- 15 and older shall be \$19.35. For youth ages 18 to 21 who have
- 16 exited foster care, the preparation for adult living program
- 17 maintenance rate shall be \$602.70 per month. The maximum
- 18 payment for adoption subsidy nonrecurring expenses shall be
- 19 limited to \$500 and the disallowance of additional amounts
- 20 for court costs and other related legal expenses implemented
- 21 pursuant to 2010 Iowa Acts, chapter 1031, section 408, shall
- 22 be continued.
- 23 5. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the maximum
- 24 reimbursement rates for social services providers under
- 25 contract shall remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2016,
- 26 or the provider's actual and allowable cost plus inflation for
- 27 each service, whichever is less. However, if a new service
- 28 or service provider is added after June 30, 2016, the initial
- 29 reimbursement rate for the service or provider shall be based
- 30 upon a weighted average of provider rates for similar services.
- 31 6. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 32 reimbursement rates for resource family recruitment and
- 33 retention contractors, child welfare emergency services
- 34 contractors, and supervised apartment living foster care
- 35 providers shall remain at the rates in effect on June 30, 2016.

- 1 7. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 2 reimbursement rate for safety plan services and family safety,
- 3 risk, and permanency services (family-centered) shall be as
- 4 follows:
- 5 a. The statewide base monthly payment amount for all
- 6 family safety, risk, and permanency services (family-centered)
- 7 contractors shall be the rate in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 8 (1) Family safety, risk, and permanency services
- 9 Performance Measure 1 payments shall be the rate in effect on
- 10 June 30, 2016.
- 11 (2) Family safety, risk, and permanency services
- 12 Performance Measure 2 payments shall be the rate in effect on
- 13 June 30, 2016.
- 14 (3) Family safety, risk, and permanency services
- 15 Performance Measure 3 payments shall be the rate in effect on
- 16 June 30, 2016.
- 17 (4) Family safety, risk, and permanency services
- 18 Performance Measure 4 payments shall be the rate in effect on
- 19 June 30, 2016.
- 20 b. The maximum reimbursement unit rate for safety plan
- 21 services shall be the rate in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 22 (1) Safety plan services Performance Measure 1 payments
- 23 shall be the rate in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 24 (2) Safety plan services Performance Measure 2 payments
- 25 shall be the rate in effect on June 30, 2016.
- 26 8. a. For the purposes of this subsection, "combined
- 27 reimbursement rate" means the combined service and maintenance
- 28 reimbursement rate for a service level under the department's
- 29 reimbursement methodology. Effective July 1, 2016, the
- 30 combined reimbursement rate for a group foster care service
- 31 level shall be the amount designated in this subsection.
- 32 However, if a group foster care provider's reimbursement rate
- 33 for a service level as of June 30, 2016, is more than the rate
- 34 designated in this subsection, the provider's reimbursement
- 35 shall remain at the higher rate.

- 1 b. Unless a group foster care provider is subject to the
- 2 exception provided in paragraph "a", effective July 1, 2016,
- 3 the combined reimbursement rates for the service levels under
- 4 the department's reimbursement methodology shall be as follows:
- 5 (1) For service level, community D1, the daily rate shall
- 6 be at least \$84.17.
- 7 (2) For service level, comprehensive D2, the daily rate
- 8 shall be at least \$119.09.
- 9 (3) For service level, enhanced D3, the daily rate shall
- 10 be at least \$131.09.
- 11 9. The group foster care reimbursement rates paid for
- 12 placement of children out of state shall be calculated
- 13 according to the same rate-setting principles as those used for
- 14 in-state providers, unless the director of human services or
- 15 the director's designee determines that appropriate care cannot
- 16 be provided within the state. The payment of the daily rate
- 17 shall be based on the number of days in the calendar month in
- 18 which service is provided.
- 19 10. a. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 20 reimbursement rate paid for shelter care and the child welfare
- 21 emergency services implemented to provide or prevent the need
- 22 for shelter care shall be established by contract.
- 23 b. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the combined
- 24 service and maintenance components of the reimbursement rate
- 25 paid for shelter care services shall be based on the financial
- 26 and statistical report submitted to the department. The
- 27 maximum reimbursement rate shall be \$101.83 per day. The
- 28 department shall reimburse a shelter care provider at the
- 29 provider's actual and allowable unit cost, plus inflation, not
- 30 to exceed the maximum reimbursement rate.
- 31 c. Notwithstanding section 232.141, subsection 8, for the
- 32 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the amount of the statewide
- 33 average of the actual and allowable rates for reimbursement of
- 34 juvenile shelter care homes that is utilized for the limitation
- 35 on recovery of unpaid costs shall remain at the amount in

- 1 effect for this purpose in the fiscal year beginning July 1,
 2 2015.
- 3 ll. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, the
- 4 department shall calculate reimbursement rates for intermediate
- 5 care facilities for persons with an intellectual disability
- 6 at the 80th percentile. Beginning July 1, 2016, the rate
- 7 calculation methodology shall utilize the consumer price index
- 8 inflation factor applicable to the fiscal year beginning July
- 9 1, 2016.
- 10 12. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, for child
- 11 care providers reimbursed under the state child care assistance
- 12 program, the department shall set provider reimbursement
- 13 rates based on the rate reimbursement survey completed in
- 14 December 2004. Effective July 1, 2016, the child care provider
- 15 reimbursement rates shall remain at the rates in effect on June
- 16 30, 2016. The department shall set rates in a manner so as
- 17 to provide incentives for a nonregistered provider to become
- 18 registered by applying the increase only to registered and
- 19 licensed providers.
- 20 13. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, if the
- 21 centers for Medicare and Medicaid services of the United
- 22 States department of health and human services approves the
- 23 waivers necessary to implement medical assistance program
- 24 managed care applicable to any providers or services subject to
- 25 reimbursement under this section, notwithstanding any provision
- 26 to the contrary under this section, affected providers or
- 27 services shall instead be reimbursed as follows:
- 28 a. For fee-for-service claims, reimbursement rates shall
- 29 be calculated based on the methodology otherwise specified in
- 30 this section for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, for
- 31 the respective provider or service.
- b. For claims subject to a managed care contract,
- 33 reimbursement shall be based on the actuarially sound
- 34 capitation rates established under the contract. However,
- 35 any reimbursement established under such contract shall not

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- 1 be lower than the reimbursement otherwise specified in this
- 2 section for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, for the
- 3 respective provider or service.
- 4 14. The department may adopt emergency rules to implement
- 5 this section.
- 6 Sec. 142. EMERGENCY RULES.
- 7 1. If specifically authorized by a provision of this
- 8 division of this Act, the department of human services or
- 9 the mental health and disability services commission may
- 10 adopt administrative rules under section 17A.4, subsection
- 11 3, and section 17A.5, subsection 2, paragraph "b", to
- 12 implement the provisions of this division of this Act and
- 13 the rules shall become effective immediately upon filing or
- 14 on a later effective date specified in the rules, unless the
- 15 effective date of the rules is delayed or the applicability
- 16 of the rules is suspended by the administrative rules review
- 17 committee. Any rules adopted in accordance with this section
- 18 shall not take effect before the rules are reviewed by the
- 19 administrative rules review committee. The delay authority
- 20 provided to the administrative rules review committee under
- 21 section 17A.4, subsection 7, and section 17A.8, subsection 9,
- 22 shall be applicable to a delay imposed under this section,
- 23 notwithstanding a provision in those sections making them
- 24 inapplicable to section 17A.5, subsection 2, paragraph "b".
- 25 Any rules adopted in accordance with the provisions of this
- 26 section shall also be published as a notice of intended action
- 27 as provided in section 17A.4.
- 28 2. If during a fiscal year, the department of human
- 29 services is adopting rules in accordance with this section
- 30 or as otherwise directed or authorized by state law, and the
- 31 rules will result in an expenditure increase beyond the amount
- 32 anticipated in the budget process or if the expenditure was
- 33 not addressed in the budget process for the fiscal year, the
- 34 department shall notify the persons designated by this division
- 35 of this Act for submission of reports, the chairpersons and

- 1 ranking members of the committees on appropriations, and
- 2 the department of management concerning the rules and the
- 3 expenditure increase. The notification shall be provided at
- 4 least 30 calendar days prior to the date notice of the rules
- 5 is submitted to the administrative rules coordinator and the
- 6 administrative code editor.
- 7 Sec. 143. REPORTS. Any reports or other information
- 8 required to be compiled and submitted under this Act during the
- 9 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, shall be submitted to the
- 10 chairpersons and ranking members of the joint appropriations
- 11 subcommittee on health and human services, the legislative
- 12 services agency, and the legislative caucus staffs on or
- 13 before the dates specified for submission of the reports or
- 14 information.
- 15 Sec. 144. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. The following
- 16 provisions of this division of this Act, being deemed of
- 17 immediate importance, take effect upon enactment:
- 18 1. The provision relating to section 232.141 and directing
- 19 the state court administrator and the division administrator of
- 20 the department of human services division of child and family
- 21 services to make the determination, by June 15, 2016, of the
- 22 distribution of funds allocated for the payment of the expenses
- 23 of court-ordered services provided to juveniles which are a
- 24 charge upon the state.
- 25 DIVISION XXXV
- 26 HEALTH CARE ACCOUNTS AND FUNDS FY 2016-2017
- 27 Sec. 145. PHARMACEUTICAL SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT. There is
- 28 appropriated from the pharmaceutical settlement account created
- 29 in section 249A.33 to the department of human services for the
- 30 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017,
- 31 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
- 32 used for the purpose designated:
- 33 Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, to
- 34 supplement the appropriations made in this Act for medical
- 35 contracts under the medical assistance program for the fiscal

1	year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017:
2	\$ 250,000
3	Sec. 146. QUALITY ASSURANCE TRUST FUND — DEPARTMENT OF
4	HUMAN SERVICES. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary
5	and subject to the availability of funds, there is appropriated
6	from the quality assurance trust fund created in section
7	249L.4 to the department of human services for the fiscal year
8	beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, the following
9	amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, for the purposes
10	designated:
11	To supplement the appropriation made in this Act from the
12	general fund of the state to the department of human services
13	for medical assistance for the same fiscal year:
14	\$ 18,352,604
15	Sec. 147. HOSPITAL HEALTH CARE ACCESS TRUST FUND —
16	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES. Notwithstanding any provision to
17	the contrary and subject to the availability of funds, there is
18	appropriated from the hospital health care access trust fund
19	created in section 249M.4 to the department of human services
20	for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June
21	30, 2017, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
22	necessary, for the purposes designated:
23	To supplement the appropriation made in this Act from the
24	general fund of the state to the department of human services
25	for medical assistance for the same fiscal year:
26	\$ 17,350,000
27	Sec. 148. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM — NONREVERSION
28	FOR FY 2016-2017. Notwithstanding section 8.33, if moneys
29	appropriated for purposes of the medical assistance program for
30	the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and ending June 30,
31	2017, from the general fund of the state, the quality assurance
32	trust fund and the hospital health care access trust fund, are
33	in excess of actual expenditures for the medical assistance
34	program and remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
35	of the fiscal year, the excess moneys shall not revert but

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	shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes of the
	medical assistance program until the close of the succeeding
3	fiscal year.
4	DIVISION XXXVI
5	PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FUND — BLOCK GRANT MONEYS — MENTAL HEALTH
6	INSTITUTES
7	Sec. 149. MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTES. The moneys transferred
8	to the property tax relief fund for the fiscal year beginning
9	July 1, 2016, from the federal social services block grant
10	pursuant to 2015 Iowa Acts, House File 630, if enacted, and
11	from the federal temporary assistance for needy families block
12	grant, totaling at least \$11,774,275, are appropriated to the
13	department of human services for the fiscal year beginning July
14	1, 2016, and ending June 30, 2017, to be used for the purposes
15	designated:
16	1. For the state mental health institute at Clarinda for
17	salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
18	\$ 2,418,254
19	2. For the state mental health institute at Mount Pleasant
20	for salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes,
21	and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
22	positions:
23	\$ 3,468,884
24	FTES 97.68
25	DIVISION XXXVII
26	PERSONNEL SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT PAYMENTS
27	Sec. 150. PERSONNEL SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT PAYMENTS. As a
28	condition of the appropriations in this 2016 Act, the moneys
29	appropriated and any other moneys available shall not be used
30	for payment of a personnel settlement agreement that contains a
31	confidentiality provision intended to prevent public disclosure
	of the agreement or any terms of the agreement.
33	EXPLANATION
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the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

- 1 This bill relates to appropriations for health and human
- 2 services made in fiscal years 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 to the
- 3 department of veterans affairs, Iowa veterans home, department
- 4 on aging (IDA), office of long-term care ombudsman, department
- 5 of public health (DPH), Iowa finance authority, department of
- 6 human rights, and department of human services (DHS).
- 7 The bill is organized into divisions.
- 8 DEPARTMENT ON AGING. These divisions make appropriations
- 9 from the general fund of the state for the department on aging
- 10 for FY 2015-2016 and FY 2016-2017.
- 11 OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN. These divisions make
- 12 appropriations from the general fund of the state for the
- 13 office of long-term care ombudsman for FY 2015-2016 and FY
- 14 2016-2017.
- 15 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. These divisions make
- 16 appropriations from the general fund of the state for the
- 17 department of public health for FY 2015-2016 and FY 2016-2017.
- 18 DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AND IOWA VETERANS HOME.
- 19 These divisions make appropriations from the general fund
- 20 of the state for the department of veterans affairs for
- 21 FY 2015-2016 and FY 2016-2017 for administration, the Iowa
- 22 veterans home, for transfer to the Iowa finance authority for
- 23 the home ownership assistance program, and for the county
- 24 commissions of veterans affairs.
- 25 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES. These divisions make
- 26 appropriations from the general fund of the state and the
- 27 federal temporary assistance for needy families block grant to
- 28 DHS for FY 2015-2016 and FY 2016-2017. The allocation for the
- 29 family development and self-sufficiency grant program is made
- 30 directly to the department of human rights. The reimbursement
- 31 section addresses reimbursement for providers reimbursed by the
- 32 department of human services. The bill provides for separate
- 33 appropriations for medical assistance program costs and other
- 34 departmental expenditures associated with the redesign of
- 35 mental health and disability services and for Iowa health and

- 1 wellness plan expenditures.
- 2 HEALTH CARE ACCOUNTS AND FUND. These divisions make
- 3 certain health-related appropriations for FY 2015-2016 and
- 4 FY 2016-2017. A number of the appropriations are made for
- 5 purposes of the medical assistance (Medicaid) program in
- 6 addition to the general fund appropriations made for this
- 7 purpose for the same fiscal year.
- 8 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM NONREVERSION. These divisions
- 9 provide that if the total amounts appropriated from all sources
- 10 for the Medicaid program for FY 2015-2016 or FY 2016-2017
- 11 exceed the amount needed, the excess remains available to be
- 12 used for the program in the succeeding fiscal year.
- 13 MEDICAL HOME SYSTEM ADVISORY COUNCIL. This division amends
- 14 the Code to rename the medical home system advisory council the
- 15 patient-centered health advisory council.
- 16 PRIOR YEAR APPROPRIATIONS AND OTHER PRIOR PROVISIONS. This
- 17 division includes amendments to appropriations and other
- 18 provisions made in prior years. The division is effective upon
- 19 enactment and is retroactively applicable to July 1, 2014, and
- 20 includes:
- 21 DECATEGORIZATION CARRYOVER FUNDING. This division directs
- 22 that moneys remaining in the funding pool that are unencumbered
- 23 or unobligated at the close of FY 2012-2013 and were deemed
- 24 carryover funds do not revert to the general fund of the state
- 25 but are transferred to the Medicaid program for FY 2014-2015.
- 26 ADJUSTMENT OF AMOUNTS OF PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS AND
- 27 ALLOCATIONS. The division adjusts amounts appropriated
- 28 and allocated for FY 2014-2015 for community mental health
- 29 services, the temporary assistance for needy families program,
- 30 the child support recovery unit, Medicaid, medical contracts,
- 31 state supplementary assistance, the children's health insurance
- 32 program/healthy and well kids in Iowa program, child care
- 33 assistance, juvenile child in need of assistance placements,
- 34 child and family services, adoption subsidy, family support
- 35 subsidy, field operations, general administration, the

- 1 pharmaceutical settlement account, and the quality assurance
- 2 trust fund.
- 3 MENTAL HEALTH AND DISABILITY SERVICES REGIONAL FUNDING
- 4 APPROPRIATION. This division provides that for FFY 2014-2015,
- 5 FFY 2015-2016, and FFY 2016-2017, from the federal social
- 6 services block grant, if allocated, moneys in an amount
- 7 totaling at least \$11,774,275 annually, are appropriated to DHS
- 8 for each of the state fiscal years beginning July 1, 2015, and
- 9 July 1, 2016, to be distributed to mental health and disability
- 10 service regions through the property tax relief fund for mental
- 11 health and disability services in accordance with Code section
- 12 426B.3.
- 13 OUALITY ASSURANCE ASSESSMENT. This division establishes
- 14 the aggregate quality assurance assessments imposed on nursing
- 15 facilities at 3 percent of the aggregate non-Medicare revenues
- 16 of a nursing facility. Current law provides for a range in
- 17 establishing the amount.
- 18 HEALTH OVERSIGHT. This division establishes a committee
- 19 comprised of legislators to provide oversight for health
- 20 policy in the state. The division also specifies limitations
- 21 on the use of capitated payments to Medicaid managed care
- 22 organizations. The division provides for an interagency study
- 23 to develop a proposal for a health consumer ombudsman alliance,
- 24 for third-party assessment of consumer service plans, and for
- 25 assistance and advocacy relating to long-term services and
- 26 supports.
- 27 AUTISM. This division amends provisions of the autism
- 28 support program (Code chapter 225D). The division amends
- 29 the definition of "autism service provider" to include a
- 30 board-certified assistant behavior analyst who performs duties
- 31 under the supervision of a board-certified behavior analyst
- 32 and eliminates the inclusion of a health professional licensed
- 33 under Code chapter 147 from the definition. The division also
- 34 increases the age limit for an eligible child from 9 to 15
- 35 years, and provides that proof of eligibility for the program

- 1 includes a written denial or a coverage of benefits summary
- 2 that indicates that applied behavioral analysis treatment is
- 3 not covered under the individual's coverage.
- 4 OFFICE OF SUBSTITUTE DECISION MAKER. This division extends
- 5 from July 1, 2015, to July 1, 2017, the date by which local
- 6 offices of the office of substitute decision maker are to be
- 7 established statewide.
- 8 DEMENTIA WORKFORCE. This division provides for the
- 9 establishment of an interagency dementia-proficient workforce
- 10 task force to review recommendations for a standard curriculum
- 11 model for dementia education, identify staff who should
- 12 have some level of dementia proficiency, and develop an
- 13 implementation plan to transition toward competency-based
- 14 dementia curricula and training to achieve dementia proficiency
- 15 across the care continuum. The task force is directed to
- 16 submit its recommendations to the governor and the general
- 17 assembly by December 15, 2015.
- 18 PHARMACEUTICAL COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL PROGRAM. This
- 19 division increases the codified limitation on the portion
- 20 of certain fees collected by the board of pharmacy that may
- 21 be used for administering the pharmaceutical collection and
- 22 disposal program from \$125,000 to \$175,000.
- 23 MEDICAID STATE PLAN FAMILY PLANNING. This division
- 24 directs the department of human services to amend the Medicaid
- 25 state plan to include the eligibility provisions of the Iowa
- 26 family planning network section 1115 demonstration waiver in
- 27 effect on January 1, 2015. The state plan amendment would be
- 28 effective no later than January 1, 2016. DHS is to implement
- 29 the state plan amendment upon receipt of federal approval.
- 30 This division takes effect upon enactment.
- 31 IOWA ABLE SAVINGS PLAN TRUST. This division creates an
- 32 Iowa ABLE (Achieving A Better Life Experience) savings plan
- 33 trust and provides for various Iowa individual income tax and
- 34 inheritance tax benefits.
- 35 BACKGROUND. On December 19, 2014, the federal Achieving

- 1 A Better Life Experience Act of 2014 (ABLE Act) was enacted
- 2 as part of the federal Tax Increase Prevention Act of 2014
- 3 (Pub. L. No. 113-295). The ABLE Act allows states to create
- 4 programs to assist individuals in saving private funds for
- 5 the purpose of supporting individuals with disabilities.
- 6 Qualifying state programs will allow for the establishment
- 7 of accounts into which eligible disabled individuals or
- 8 others may make contributions for the payment of future
- 9 disability-related expenses of the eligible disabled
- 10 individual. Funds and earnings in accounts established
- 11 under qualifying state programs are afforded federal benefits
- 12 in certain circumstances, including federal tax exemption,
- 13 bankruptcy protection, and exclusion from consideration under
- 14 certain means-tested programs, such as Medicaid or supplemental
- 15 security income.
- 16 IOWA ABLE SAVINGS PLAN TRUST. The division creates the Iowa
- 17 ABLE savings plan trust (trust) under the treasurer of state
- 18 (state treasurer) that will meet the requirements of §529A of
- 19 the Internal Revenue Code (federal ABLE program). The state
- 20 treasurer is the trustee of the trust and has numerous powers,
- 21 as specified in the division, for the purpose of carrying out
- 22 the purpose of the trust.
- 23 The trust is authorized to enter into participation
- 24 agreements beginning July 1, 2016, with individuals for the
- 25 payment of future qualified disability expenses, and to enter
- 26 into contracts with other states (contracting state) to allow
- 27 these states' residents access to the Iowa ABLE program.
- 28 "Qualified disability expenses" means the same as defined
- 29 under the federal ABLE program, which generally defines the
- 30 term to include expenses related to a designated beneficiary's
- 31 education, housing, transportation, employment training and
- 32 support, assistive technology and personal support services,
- 33 health, prevention and wellness, financial management and
- 34 administrative services, legal fees, expenses for oversight and
- 35 monitoring, funeral and burial expenses, and other expenses

- 1 approved by the secretary of the United States treasury
- 2 (secretary).
- 3 Unless otherwise allowed under the federal ABLE program,
- 4 the person with whom the state treasurer enters into a
- 5 participation agreement must be both the account owner and
- 6 designated beneficiary. However, the division allows a trustee
- 7 or legal guardian to be designated as custodian of an account
- 8 for a designated beneficiary who is a minor or who lacks
- 9 capacity to enter into a participation agreement, provided
- 10 such designation would be allowed under the federal ABLE
- 11 program. "Designated beneficiary" is defined in the division
- 12 as a person who is a resident of Iowa or a contracting state
- 13 and who qualifies as an eligible individual under the federal
- 14 ABLE program, which includes individuals who are entitled
- 15 to benefits based on blindness or disability under Title II
- 16 (disability insurance) or Title XVI (supplemental security
- 17 income) of the federal Social Security Act if such blindness
- 18 or disability occurred before attaining 26 years of age, and
- 19 if such individual files a disability certification with the
- 20 secretary.
- 21 The division requires the state treasurer to maintain a
- 22 separate account in the trust for each designated beneficiary
- 23 of a participation agreement. Unless otherwise allowed under
- 24 the federal ABLE program, only one participation agreement
- 25 shall be allowed per designated beneficiary. Any person is
- 26 allowed to make contributions in the form of cash to an account
- 27 on behalf of a designated beneficiary. The trust is required
- 28 to maintain limits on the annual contributions to an account,
- 29 and the aggregate balance in an account, matching those set
- 30 forth in the federal ABLE program, which prohibits annual
- 31 contributions to an account from exceeding the annual gift tax
- 32 exclusion amount (\$14,000 for 2015), and prohibits an aggregate
- 33 account balance from exceeding the limit set by a state under
- 34 its qualified tuition program (currently \$320,000 for Iowa).
- 35 The division also permits the treasurer of state to defer

implementation of the Iowa ABLE program and alternatively enter into an agreement with another state's qualified ABLE program to provide Iowa residents access to that state's program, if certain requirements specified in the division are satisfied.

The division provides other various terms and conditions for participation agreements, use and segregation of trust funds, cancellation of agreements and refund of account balances, and ownership rights in the trust. The division provides that an account may be claimed by the Iowa Medicaid program upon the death of the designated beneficiary, in accordance with the federal ABLE program. The division requires the state treasurer to prepare and submit audited financial reports to the governor and general assembly, and further requires the state treasurer to comply with any reporting requirements of the federal ABLE program.

16 IOWA TAX BENEFITS. The division provides several tax 17 benefits under the trust. First, the value of any interest 18 in the trust or other contracted state's qualified ABLE 19 program of a decedent who was an Iowa resident dying on or 20 after January 1, 2016, is excluded from the Iowa inheritance 21 tax. Second, contributions to the trust or other contracted 22 state's qualified ABLE program made on or after January 1, 23 2016, on behalf of a designated beneficiary who is an Iowa 24 resident are deductible from the Iowa individual income tax 25 up to the maximum amount allowed per beneficiary per year for 26 purposes of the Iowa educational savings plan trust in Code 27 chapter 12D. For 2015, that amount is set at \$3,163. 28 amounts refunded to a taxpayer from the cancellation of a 29 participation agreement or that are withdrawn for purposes 30 other than the payment of qualified disability expenses of the 31 designated beneficiary must be included in Iowa net income to 32 the extent they were previously deducted by the taxpayer or any 33 other person as a contribution. Third, income and earnings 34 from the trust or received by resident account owners from a 35 contracted state's qualified ABLE program are exempt from the

- 1 Iowa individual income tax. The individual income tax benefits
- 2 apply to tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2016.
- 3 CONTINGENT IMPLEMENTATION. The implementation of the
- 4 division is subject to an appropriation with the purpose of the
- 5 trust stated.
- 6 CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE. The division requires the department
- 7 of human services to amend its administrative rules relating to
- 8 income eligibility for state child care assistance, according
- 9 to family size for children needing basic care, to families
- 10 whose nonexempt gross monthly income does not exceed 160
- 11 percent of the federal poverty level. The division makes a
- 12 conforming Code change to Code section 237A.13 relating to
- 13 waiting lists for state child care assistance.
- 14 COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH AND DISABILITIES SERVICES FUNDING
- 15 EQUALIZATION AND MEDICAID OFFSET. The mental health and
- 16 disability services (MH/DS) levy limitations and equalization
- 17 payment provisions based on general population funding of
- 18 \$47.28 per capita are currently in effect through FY 2015-2016.
- 19 This division amends Code sections 331.424A, relating to
- 20 the MH/DS levy, and 426B.3, relating to per capita funding,
- 21 equalization, and Medicaid offset, to extend these provisions
- 22 by one year to FY 2016-2017. The division eliminates the
- 23 county repayment of Medicaid offset amounts in Code section
- 24 426B.3, subsection 5, to the state effective July 1, 2015.
- 25 MEDICAID OFFSET PAYMENTS PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FUND
- 26 APPROPRIATIONS. This division makes appropriations from the
- 27 moneys credited to the property tax relief fund in the form
- 28 of county Medicaid offset payments for the FY 2015-2016. The
- 29 moneys are appropriated to DHS for reductions in the waiting
- 30 lists of all Medicaid home and community-based services
- 31 waivers; for a grant for a public awareness campaign regarding
- 32 the signs of Alzheimer's disease and other related dementias
- 33 and the resources available to people living with Alzheimer's
- 34 disease and other related dementias; for development of an
- 35 application for a planning grant through the substance abuse

- 1 and mental health services administration of the United States
- 2 department of health and human services to participate in
- 3 a two-year pilot for certified community behavioral health
- 4 clinics. The division provides that moneys credited to
- 5 the property tax relief fund in the form of county Medicaid
- 6 offset payments for FY 2015-2016 shall be distributed to a
- 7 mental health and disability services region if 25 percent of
- 8 the region's FY 2015-2016 projected expenditures exceed the
- 9 region's FY 2015-2016 projected fund balance.
- 10 PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FUND BLOCK GRANT FUNDS MENTAL
- 11 HEALTH INSTITUTES APPROPRIATIONS. This division provides for
- 12 the appropriation of moneys transferred to the property tax
- 13 relief fund from the federal social services block grant for
- 14 FY 2015-2016 to the mental health institutes at Mount Pleasant
- 15 and Clarinda.
- 16 CHILD WELFARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE. This division requires
- 17 the child welfare advisory committee of the council on human
- 18 services to study procedures in the department of human
- 19 services for receiving complaints from families involved
- 20 in guardianship, placement, and custody proceedings, the
- 21 specificity and clarity of court orders issued in foster care
- 22 placement cases, caseload trends of social workers including
- 23 an analysis of how Iowa compares nationally and with best
- 24 practices as defined by national associations, and immunity
- 25 provisions for social workers employed by the department of
- 26 human services and basic qualifications of social workers
- 27 employed by the department of human services. The committee is
- 28 required to submit a report with findings and recommendations
- 29 to the governor and general assembly on or before December 15,
- 30 2015.
- 31 COVERAGE OF SERVICES PROVIDED BY A PHYSICAL THERAPIST,
- 32 OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST, OR SPEECH PATHOLOGIST. This division
- 33 provides that a policy, contract, or plan providing for
- 34 third-party payment or prepayment of health or medical
- 35 expenses shall not impose a copayment or coinsurance amount

- 1 on an insured for services provided by a physical therapist,
- 2 occupational therapist, or speech pathologist that is greater
- 3 than the copayment or coinsurance amount imposed on the insured
- 4 for services rendered by a person engaged in the practice of
- 5 medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery for
- 6 the same or a similar diagnosed condition even if a different
- 7 nomenclature is used to describe the condition for which the
- 8 services are provided.
- 9 The division applies to specified individual and group
- 10 policies, contracts, and plans that are issued for delivery,
- 11 continued, or renewed in this state on or after July 1, 2015.
- 12 CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING WORKGROUP. This
- 13 division directs the department of human services, in
- 14 cooperation with the departments of education and public
- 15 health, to facilitate a workgroup of stakeholders to study
- 16 and make recommendations relating to children's mental health
- 17 and well-being in the state. The division specifies the
- 18 issues that may be considered by the workgroup, including a
- 19 strategic plan for data systems; a comprehensive system of
- 20 care for children that incorporates a coordinated response to
- 21 mental health issues across many disciplines, and specifically
- 22 addresses the effects of adverse childhood experiences
- 23 and extreme child poverty and homelessness; and increasing
- 24 awareness of and creating strategies to address child mental
- 25 health and well-being. The workgroup is directed to review
- 26 the 2014 report of the children's defense fund on the state
- 27 of America's children and the most complex issues affecting
- 28 children's health and well-being and to develop and recommend
- 29 proactive strategies to address the information presented. The
- 30 workgroup is directed to submit a report to the governor and
- 31 the general assembly by December 15, 2015.
- 32 PREVENTION OF DISABILITIES POLICY COUNCIL. This division
- 33 relates to the prevention of disabilities policy council.
- In 1991, the general assembly established the prevention
- 35 of disabilities council (council) in Code chapter 225B. The

- 1 council was created to establish a system to coordinate
- 2 prevention of disability activities among state departments and
- 3 to assist the governor and the general assembly in determining
- 4 priorities and establishing policies for the prevention of
- 5 disabilities.
- 6 The division amends provisions in Code chapter 225B relating
- 7 to prevention activities of the council, council membership,
- 8 duties, and coordination efforts with state agencies and
- 9 disability groups, and related definitions.
- 10 The division defines prevention activities of the council
- 11 to include policies, programs, and practices that prevent a
- 12 disability or a condition that leads to a disability from
- 13 occurring; that identify a disability or a condition that leads
- 14 to a disability early on so that the intervention can eliminate
- 15 the risk of a disability or minimize the disability's effect;
- 16 or that reduce the effects of a disability on an individual's
- 17 health and independence. The division amends the definition of
- 18 a disability to be the same as the federal definition under the
- 19 federal Americans with Disabilities Act (42 U.S.C. §12102).
- 20 The division provides that the council replaces the current
- 21 Iowa developmental disabilities council, to be abolished by
- 22 law July 1, 2015, in providing recommendations for individual
- 23 appointments of voting members to the council and council
- 24 membership is expanded to include ex officio representatives
- 25 from the department on aging, and the departments of education,
- 26 public health, and human services.
- 27 The duties of the council are expanded to include reviewing
- 28 the prevention of disabilities activities of public and
- 29 private entities and providing recommendations to optimize
- 30 the planning, implementation, and evaluation of prevention of
- 31 disabilities efforts; promoting cooperative and complementary
- 32 planning among the public, nonpublic, and volunteer sectors
- 33 involved in prevention of disabilities activities; facilitating
- 34 coordination of prevention of disabilities activities
- 35 among state departments to develop an integrated system of

- 1 care; providing support and technical assistance to public
- 2 or nonpublic entities to identify, seek, implement, and
- 3 evaluate state, federal, and private grants for prevention
- 4 of disabilities activities; encouraging research into the
- 5 causes and prevention of disabilities, including methods to
- 6 evaluate the effectiveness of prevention efforts; and promoting
- 7 professional and provider training in evidence-based prevention
- 8 of disabilities measures and assure adequate dissemination of
- 9 such to appropriate entities.
- 10 The division provides that the directors or deputy directors
- 11 of the state department on aging, and the departments of
- 12 education, human services, and public health shall meet at
- 13 least annually with the council to provide updates to the
- 14 council regarding the status of prevention of disabilities
- 15 policies and receive new policy and program recommendations
- 16 from the council regarding the prevention of disabilities.
- 17 Chairpersons and staff of public and private state disability
- 18 groups are encouraged to meet with the council annually
- 19 to identify ways to incorporate prevention of disabilities
- 20 activities within Iowa's disabilities services system and
- 21 to assist in developing a policy agenda for prevention of
- 22 disabilities system improvements.
- 23 The division directs the department of human services to
- 24 adopt rules to implement the division, subject to council
- 25 approval.
- 26 FACILITY FOR PERSONS WITH AGGRESSIVE OR PSYCHIATRIC
- 27 BEHAVIORS INTERIM COMMITTEE REPORT. This division
- 28 relates to the housing of persons who are sexually aggressive
- 29 or combative or who have unmet geropsychiatric needs. The
- 30 division requests the legislative council to establish
- 31 an interim legislative study committee relating to the
- 32 establishment of one or more facilities to provide care and
- 33 treatment for persons who are sexually aggressive, combative,
- 34 or who have unmet geropsychiatric needs. The study committee
- 35 shall receive testimony from certain stakeholders with

- 1 interests or expertise in the resident population identified
- 2 for care and treatment, and shall specifically address and
- 3 make recommendations relating to the characteristics of the
- 4 residents for such a facility and the size of the resident
- 5 population to be served; options for creating a new facility
- 6 or expanding an existing facility; workforce recruitment,
- 7 training, and compensation issues; Medicaid reimbursement
- 8 qualifications; and any other information deemed appropriate
- 9 by the committee.
- 10 The committee must provide a report of findings and
- 11 recommendations to the governor and general assembly by January
- 12 1, 2016.
- 13 ANATOMICAL GIFT PUBLIC AWARENESS AND TRANSPLANTATION FUND.
- 14 This division provides that instead of a limitation of not
- 15 more than 50 percent, any unobligated moneys in the anatomical
- 16 gift public awareness and transplantation fund, annually, may
- 17 be expended in the form of grants to transplant recipients,
- 18 transplant candidates, or living organ donors, or to legal
- 19 representatives on behalf of transplant recipients, transplant
- 20 candidates, or living organ donors. Such grants are based on
- 21 grant applications submitted with supporting documentation
- 22 provided by a hospital that performs transplants, verifying
- 23 that the person by or for whom the application is submitted
- 24 requires a transplant or is a living organ donor and specifying
- 25 the amount of the costs associated with the costs of the organ
- 26 transplantation procedure, the costs of post-transplantation
- 27 drug or other therapy, and other transplantation costs
- 28 including but not limited to food, lodging, and transportation,
- 29 if funds are not available from any other third-party payor.
- 30 Under current law, not more than 5 percent of the moneys in
- 31 the fund may be used by the Iowa department of public health
- 32 for administrative costs and of the remaining moneys in the
- 33 fund, not more than 20 percent annually may be expended in
- 34 the form of grants to state agencies or to nonprofit legal
- 35 entities with an interest in anatomical gift public awareness

- 1 and transplantation to conduct public awareness projects; and
- 2 not more than 30 percent annually may be expended in the form
- 3 of grants to hospitals for reimbursement for costs directly
- 4 related to the development of in-hospital anatomical gift
- 5 public awareness projects, anatomical gift referral protocols,
- 6 and associated administrative expenses.
- 7 HOSPITAL AND LONG-TERM CARE PHARMACY PRACTICE —
- 8 PNEUMOCOCCAL VACCINES. This division directs the board of
- 9 pharmacy to adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A relating to
- 10 hospital and long-term care pharmacy practice that allow,
- ll as authorized by federal law, in addition to influenza and
- 12 pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccines, that a written or verbal
- 13 patient-specific medication administration order shall not
- 14 be required prior to administration to an adult patient of
- 15 pneumococcal conjugate vaccine pursuant to physician-approved
- 16 hospital or facility policy and after the patient has been
- 17 assessed for contraindications.
- 18 HEALTHY AND WELL KIDS IN IOWA PROGRAM CONTINUED
- 19 ENROLLMENT. This division provides that at the end of the
- 20 12-month eligibility period when a child's family circumstances
- 21 are subject to review to determine continued eligibility,
- 22 pending such review, the child shall continue to be eligible
- 23 for and remain enrolled in the same plan if the family complies
- 24 with requirements to provide information and verification of
- 25 income, otherwise cooperates in the annual review process,
- 26 and submits the completed review form and any information
- 27 necessary to establish continued eligibility in a timely manner
- 28 in accordance with administrative rules.
- 29 PERSONNEL SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT PAYMENTS. This division
- 30 provides that as a condition of the appropriations in the
- 31 Act, the moneys appropriated and any other moneys available
- 32 shall not be used for payment of a personnel settlement
- 33 agreement that contains a confidentiality provision intended to
- 34 prevent public disclosure of the agreement or any terms of the
- 35 agreement.